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Welcome

We hope you will enjoy browsing through this brochure and find an enjoyable and stimulating course to suit you.

The Skills Funding Agency (SFA) is our main funder and subsidises courses. There is no fee increase in the Region this year but the SFA expects most learners to contribute an agreed proportion to the cost of their courses. We hope you will feel it is good value for money as you learn alongside other interested people and a professional tutor. (There is more detail about fees over the page in 'Your Questions answered')

Please let us know if you think that there are other courses which we should be offering. The WEA is a voluntary organisation with many Branches run by volunteers. Would you like to join them or to become a WEA member?

We would love to hear from you!

Ann Walker

Ann Walker
Regional Director



Contact

If you would like to find out more about a particular course or to get more general information please contact us using the numbers listed below:

Robbie Noble

General Enquiries: Tel: 0113 245 3304 **Email:** yhnortheast@wea.org.uk **Website:** www.wea.org.uk/yh

Address: 6 Woodhouse Square, Leeds, LS3 1AD

Do you have any additional learning needs? We would like to help. Contact Gill Dean on 0113 200 1164 for more information. This brochure is just one area in the Yorkshire & Humber Region.

We have a further 3 brochures for other parts of the region available in PDF format on our website www.wea.org.uk/yh

You will find in this brochure a list of all activities in your area as planned at the time of going to print. New activities are organised throughout the year and therefore not all we offer can be included in the brochure.

For up-to-date information contact 0113 245 3304 or visit our website www.wea.org.uk/yh

Your questions answered

We will do everything we can to make your learning experience with us a positive one.

Is the course right for me?

If you haven't done so already, you can find out whether the course is suitable for you by either ringing the number listed alongside the course information, or contact **0113 245 3304**.

Come along to the first session without obligation so that you can see if the course suits your needs.

How do I join a course?

It is usually possible to just turn up at the first meeting but we would encourage you to find out more beforehand. To do this please contact **0113 245 3304**. If pre-booking is required details are given with the course information.

How much will I pay?

For the majority of courses you will have to pay a fee. The fees to be paid are shown against each course or on the page where the course appears.

The WEA receives public funding for the majority of its courses which supplement the fees paid by students and sponsors. For most of our courses, this funding is only available for people who are 19 or over - if they were born before 31 August 1992. If you are younger than this please contact WEA Regional Office for advice.

You are entitled to **FREE** tuition if you are in receipt of or are dependent upon someone in receipt of:

● Job Seekers' Allowance ● Employment Support Allowance in the Work Related Activity Group ● Council Tax Benefit ● Income Support ● Housing Benefit ● Working Tax Credit ● Pension Guarantee Credit ● Asylum Seeker

However, a registration fee would be payable and the amount will be against the course.

You may notice slight differences in the course fees organised by different branches - this is because some branches have to meet higher costs for the venues they use.

Are your venues easily accessible?

Many of our venues have disabled access but please check with us beforehand as we can supply a portable ramp if needed. Information for most of our venues is available on the regional website.

I have difficulties with reading and writing. Can I still join a course?

Yes, not only are our courses open to everyone but we can also help you to improve your reading, writing and maths.

My eyesight/hearing is poor. Can I still come along?

Of course you can. Again let us know in advance and we can supply you with enlarged/Braille materials or a hearing loop if necessary.

If you require this brochure in large print please contact Gill Dean on 0113 200 1164.

Beverley Branch

Enquiries: Alice Scott, Secretary, 18a Pasture Terrace, Beverley HU17 8DR **Tel:** 01482 860678
Or Barbara Fincham, 5 Canada Drive, Cottingham HU16 5EG **Tel:** 01482 843142
(the contact persons are voluntary workers and are not always available)

Quaker Meeting House, Quaker Lane, Beverley HU17 8BY

South Riding to a World at War - Fiction from 1936 to 1946

Tutor: Malcolm McGregor C3655376

Starts: Mon 12 Sept 2011, 1:30pm for 10 sessions

A look at the work of writers before and during the Second World War: Winifred Holtby's 'South Riding', Nathanael West's 'Miss Lonelyhearts' and 'A Cool Million', Patrick Hamilton's 'Hangover Square' and Hans Fallada's 'Alone in Berlin'.

South Riding to a World at War - Fiction from 1936 to 1946

Tutor: Malcolm McGregor C3655379

Starts: Tues 13 Sept 2011, 2:00pm for 10 sessions

A look at the work of writers before and during the Second World War: Winifred Holtby's 'South Riding', Nathanael West's 'Miss Lonelyhearts' and 'A Cool Million', Patrick Hamilton's 'Hangover Square' and Hans Fallada's 'Alone in Berlin'.

Use IT to Record your Life

Tutor: Elsa Saleh C3655418

Starts: Tues 20 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Use and improve your IT skills (word processing, desk-top publishing, photo editing, document and picture scanning) to create a booklet which records your memories for your children and grandchildren.

New Challenges in a Post-War World - Literature from 1984 to 1954

Tutor: Malcolm McGregor C3655380

Starts: Mon 9 Jan 2012, 1:30pm for 10 sessions

A look at how writers faced the post-war world: from George Orwell (1984) and John Wyndham (Day of the Triffids) to Doris Lessing (The Grass is Singing), Ralph Ellison (Invisible Man) and Raymond Chandler (The Long Goodbye), including Samuel Beckett (Waiting for Godot).

New Challenges in a Post-War World - Literature from 1984 to 1954

Tutor: Malcolm McGregor C3655385

Starts: Tues 10 Jan 2012, 2:00pm for 10 sessions

A look at how writers faced the post-war world: from George Orwell (1984) and John Wyndham (Day of the Triffids) to Doris Lessing (The Grass is Singing), Ralph Ellison (Invisible Man) and Raymond Chandler (The Long Goodbye), including Samuel Beckett (Waiting for Godot).

Use IT to Record your Life

Tutor: Elsa Saleh C3655419

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The Parish Centre, Beverley Minster, 38 Highgate, Beverley HU17 0DN

The Medieval Churches of the Vale of York

Tutor: Simon Tomson C3655387

Starts: Fri 7 Oct 2011, 10:00am for 10 sessions

The Parish Church is the most common historic feature of the English village. We will examine the developments from the Anglo-Saxon into the Romanesque and Gothic periods of Church architecture using examples from the Vale of York.

Byzantine Art and Architecture

Tutor: Simon Tomson C3655488

Starts: Fri 13 Jan 2012, 10:00am for 10 sessions

This course will examine the characteristic early, middle and late Byzantine art and architectural styles from 600 to 1500 AD. Slide illustrated informal talks and discussions.

Bridlington

Enquiries: Nicole Headley **Tel:** 01482 610833 **Email:** nheadley@wea.org.uk

St John's Burlington Methodist Church, St. John Street, Bridlington YO16 7JS

Watercolour Variations 1

Tutor: Steve Waller C3655310/C3655312

Starts: Thurs 22 Sept 2011, 9:00am for 10 sessions **or**

Starts: Thurs 22 Sept 2011, 11:15am for 10 sessions

A step-by-step approach guiding you through each subject from initial drawing stages to finishing brush strokes. Learn about technique, colour mixing, rescue tips etc... Lots of helpful advice along the way.

Watercolour Variations 2

Tutor: Steve Waller C3655322/C3655323

Starts: Thurs 12 Jan 2012, 9:00am for 10 sessions **or**

Starts: Thurs 12 Jan 2012, 11:15am for 10 sessions

Learn a variety of methods and techniques in watercolour painting. Guided tuition and individual attention throughout. Tackle varied step-by-step subjects in a relaxed informative atmosphere.

Watercolour Variations 3

Tutor: Steve Waller C3655370/C3655371

Starts: Thurs 19 April 2012, 9:00am for 10 sessions **or**

Starts: Thurs 19 April 2012, 11:15am for 10 sessions

Improve your technique. Learn how to add mood, depth and impact to your watercolours. Step-by-step demonstrations will help you to produce a wide range of effects to enhance your paintings.

**Courses offered in partnership with
Hull and East Yorkshire Mind will
start at the Old Parcels Office again in
September.
For details, please ring Nicole on
01482 610833.**

For more details go to www.wea.org.uk/yh

Brough

Enquiries: Nicole Headley *Tel:* 01482 610833 *Email:* nheadley@wea.org.uk

Brough Children's Centre, Elloughton Road, Brough HU15 1AE

Time for me!

Tutor: Janet Illidge C3655525

Starts: Fri 16 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Fees: Free course

Do you have a child under 5? Are you finding life stressful and a struggle? Learn to deal with everyday stresses in a positive way. Bring out your confident self. Get more enjoyment out of life. Please ring the Children's Centre on 01482 669474 to book a place.

Cottingham

Enquiries: Nicole Headley *Tel:* 01482 610833 *Email:* nheadley@wea.org.uk

Cottingham Methodist Church, Hallgate, Cottingham HU16 4DD

Aspects of Watercolour 1

Tutor: Steve Waller C3655305

Starts: Mon 19 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Improve your technique. Learn how to add mood, depth and impact to your watercolours. Step-by-step demonstrations will help you to produce a wide range of effects to enhance your paintings.

Impact with Watercolour 1

Tutor: Steve Waller C3655307/ C3655309

Starts: Weds 21 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 10 sessions **or**

Starts: Weds 21 Sept 2011, 1:15pm for 10 sessions

Learn a variety of methods and techniques in watercolour painting. Guided tuition and individual attention throughout. Tackle varied step-by-step subjects in a relaxed informative atmosphere.

Aspects of Watercolour 2

Tutor: Steve Waller C3655316

Starts: Mon 9 Jan 2012, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Learn how to create special effects and take your watercolours a stage further to give added impact. Subject matter carefully varied to include many different approaches and techniques with demonstrations, tips and advice given throughout.

Impact with Watercolour 2

Tutor: Steve Waller C3655319/C3655321

Starts: Weds 11 Jan 2012, 10:00am for 10 sessions **or**

Starts: Weds 11 Jan 2012, 1:15pm for 10 sessions

Improve your technique. Learn how to add mood, depth and impact to your watercolours. Step-by-step demonstrations will help you to produce a wide range of effects to enhance your paintings.

Aspects of Watercolour 3

Tutor: Steve Waller C3655325

Starts: Mon 16 April 2012, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Improve your watercolours. Deal with problem areas and tricky composition. Learn a wide range of techniques and methods that will transform your paintings. Individual attention and guidance through the painting stages.

Impact with Watercolour 3

Tutor: Steve Waller C3655368/ C3655369

Starts: Weds 18 April 2012, 10:00am for 10 sessions **or**

Starts: Weds 18 April 2012, 1:15pm for 10 sessions

Learn how to create special effects and take your watercolours a stage further to give added impact. Subject matter carefully varied to include many different approaches and techniques with demonstrations, tips and advice given throughout.

Easingwold Branch

Enquiries: Elisabeth Dunnett, Secretary, 45 Uppleby, Easingwold YO61 3BD

Tel: 01347 821149 *Email:* edunnett@wea.org.uk

(the contact person is a voluntary worker and is not always available)

Watercolour Painting

Tutor: Michael Farmer C3655366

Starts: Mon 19 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 30 sessions

Venue: Helperby Millennium Hall, Main Street, Helperby YO61 2NS

Fees: £174.00 Registration fee: £9.00

Watercolour techniques for all abilities - beginner to experts. Tutor demonstration. Group and individual tuition.

Spanish Level 2

Tutor: Pilar Luengo C3655785

Starts: Tues 20 Sept 2011, 4:15pm for 20 sessions

Venue: Easingwold Town Band Room, Croft Close, Easingwold YO61 3DA

Fees: £116.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Taught in Spanish, the emphasis is on speaking and listening. The course enables students to communicate in a Spanish-speaking country in everyday situations and to enjoy the Spanish language.

PRE-BOOKING ESSENTIAL.

Course fees will be Full £60.00 Registration Fee £3.00 unless stated in the course description.

Registration Fee: (only payable by learners on an eligible benefit). Benefits are listed on Your Questions Answered page.

For more details go to www.wea.org.uk/yh

Spanish Advanced

Tutor: Pilar Luengo C3655786

Starts: Tues 20 Sept 2011, 6:30pm for 20 sessions

Venue: Easingwold Town Band Room, Croft Close, Easingwold YO61 3DA

Fees: £116.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Enabling students to communicate more fully and fluently in a wider range of everyday situations and conversations. The course will also give insight into cultural aspects of Spanish-speaking countries. **PRE-BOOKING ESSENTIAL.**

Spanish Level 1

Tutor: Pilar Luengo C3655781

Starts: Weds 21 Sept 2011, 4:00pm for 20 sessions

Venue: Easingwold Town Band Room, Croft Close, Easingwold YO61 3DA

Fees: £116.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Taught in Spanish, the emphasis is on speaking and listening. This basic course is for people who want to communicate in Spanish-speaking countries in everyday situations. **PRE-BOOKING ESSENTIAL.**

Easingwold can Sing!

Tutor: Jessica Liversidge C3655382

Starts: Weds 21 Sept 2011 7:00 - 8:00pm for 20 sessions

Venue: Easingwold Town Band Room, Croft Close, Easingwold YO61 3DA

Fees: £58.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Always wanted to sing but not sure if you can? 'Easingwold can Sing' open to all. Have fun learning basic techniques while singing a wide range of songs. Bring a friend or make new ones!

T'ai Chi Qigong

Tutor: Sue Dixon C3655383

Starts: Thurs 22 September 2011 7:00 - 8:00pm for 20 sessions

Venue: Springhill Court, Spring Hill Court, Manor Road, Easingwold YO61 3FG

Fees: £58.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Tai Chi Qigong is a gentle exercise for men and women of all ages. It improves balance, posture and concentration and helps to reduce stress. All welcome.

PRE-ENROLMENT ESSENTIAL.

18th Century York: The Age of Elegance

Tutor: Warwick Burton C3655384

Starts: Mon 3 Oct 2011, 2:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Easingwold Parish Church Rooms, Tanpit Lane, Easingwold YO61 3HD

Fees: £58.00 Registration fee: £3.00

Beginning with 17th Century restoration of York then looking at the magnificent houses and lifestyle of the gentry and nobility during this elegant era. Not forgetting 'low life' side of York. Slides and field trip.

Portraits & Porticos in the Country House

Tutor: Anthony Powell C3655780

Starts: Thurs 12 Jan 2012, 2:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Helperby Millennium Hall, Main Street, Helperby YO61 2NS

Fees: £58.00 Registration fee: £6.00

A social history of the English upper classes through the portraits in their country houses. The Portraits: how, when and why changes in style and content came about. The principal artists. Visits to local examples.

Goole Branch

Enquiries: Jean Kitchen, Secretary, 49 Woodfield Road, Goole DN14 6RT **Tel:** 01405 762389
(the contact person is a voluntary worker and is not always available)

Church Visits - Old Malton, Amotherby & Appleton-Le-Street/Barton-Le-Street

Tutor: Arthur Geoff Bell C3654978

Starts: Sat 13 Aug 2011 at 10:30am for 1 session

Venue: Various Sites

Fees: £6.00

An opportunity to enjoy the architecture and fittings of local churches. Cost per day trip: £6.00 per person. Lunch - to be arranged (or take a packed lunch). Please ring Jean on 01405 762389 or Ron on 01405 860655 if you are intending to join us on the full day visits, to give us an idea of numbers attending and meals required. All visits subject to incumbent's permission.

Local History of Howden

Tutor: Susan Butler C3655296

Starts: Mon 19 Sept 2011, 1:30pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Howden Community Centre, 69 Hailgate, Howden, Goole DN14 7ST

Fees: £55.00 Registration fee: £3.00

This course will look at the history of Howden. Illustrated through original documents and old pictures. Friendly and informal sessions. Newcomers welcome.

Local History of Eastrington and the Surrounding Villages

Tutor: Susan Butler C3655298

Starts: Tues 20 Sept 2011, 1:30pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Eastrington Village Hall, High Street, Eastrington, Goole DN14 7PW

Fees: £55.00 Registration fee: £3.00

Come and learn about the village of Eastrington and the surrounding villages. Illustrated through original documents and old pictures. Friendly and informal sessions. Newcomers welcome.

Studies in Medieval Europe from 8th Century Charlemagne Onward - Part One

Tutor: Simon Tomson C3655302

Starts: Weds 21 Sept 2011, 7:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: The Snaith School, Pontefract Road, Snaith, Goole DN14 9LB

Fees: £55.00 Registration fee: £3.00

This course will include sessions on Charlemagne - art, architecture and history; monasticism, developments in science, external through church and society - examined through the lens of archaeology and surviving physical remains across the continent. Newcomers welcome.

Course fees will be Full £60.00 Registration Fee £3.00 unless stated in the course description.

Registration Fee: (only payable by learners on an eligible benefit). Benefits are listed on Your Questions Answered page.

History of Goole - Particular Attention to the Industries

Tutor: Susan Butler C3655294

Starts: Thurs 22 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Venue: Ilkeston Community Centre, Ilkeston Avenue, Goole DN14 6PP

Fees: £55.00 Registration fee: £3.00

This course will look at the history of Goole with special attention to local industries. Illustrated through original documents and old pictures. Friendly and informal sessions. Newcomers welcome.

Studies in Medieval Europe from 8th Century Charlemagne Onward - Part One

Tutor: Simon Tomson C3655300

Starts: Tues 27 Sept 2011, 7:30pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Parkside Primary School, West Wing, Western Road, Goole DN14 6RQ

Fees: £55.00 Registration fee: £3.00

This course will include sessions on Charlemagne - art, architecture and history; monasticism, developments in science, external through church and society - examined through the lens of archaeology and surviving physical remains across the continent. Newcomers welcome.

Local History of Howden

Tutor: Susan Butler C3655297

Starts: Mon 16 Jan 2012, 1:30pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Howden Community Centre, 69 Hailgate, Howden, Goole DN14 7ST

Fees: £55.00 Registration fee: £3.00

This course will look at the history of Howden. Illustrated through original documents and old pictures. Friendly and informal sessions. Newcomers welcome.

Local History of Eastrington and the Surrounding Villages

Tutor: Susan Butler C3655299

Starts: Tues 17 Jan 2012, 1:30pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Eastrington Village Hall, High Street, Eastrington, Goole DN14 7PW

Fees: £55.00 Registration fee: £3.00

Come and learn about the village of Eastrington and the surrounding villages. Illustrated through original documents and old pictures. Friendly and informal sessions. Newcomers welcome.

Studies in Medieval Europe from 8th Century Charlemagne Onward - Part Two

Tutor: Simon Tomson C3655301

Starts: Tues 17 Jan 2012, 7:30pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Parkside Primary School, West Wing, Western Road, Goole DN14 6RQ

Fees: £55.00 Registration fee: £3.00

This course will include sessions on Charlemagne - art, architecture and history; monasticism, developments in science, external through church and society - examined through the lens of archaeology and surviving physical remains across the continent. Newcomers welcome.

Studies in Medieval Europe from 8th Century Charlemagne Onward - Part Two

Tutor: Simon Tomson C3655303

Starts: Weds 18 Jan 2012, 7:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: The Snaith School, Pontefract Road, Snaith, Goole DN14 9LB

Fees: £55.00 Registration fee: £3.00

This course will include sessions on Charlemagne - art, architecture and history; monasticism, developments in science, external through church and society - examined through the lens of archaeology and surviving physical remains across the continent. Newcomers welcome.

History of Goole - Particular Attention to the Industries

Tutor: Susan Butler C3655295

Starts: Thurs 19 Jan 2012, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Venue: Ilkeston Community Centre, Ilkeston Avenue, Goole DN14 6PP

Fees: £55.00 Registration fee: £3.00

This course will look at the history of Goole with special attention given to local industries, shipbuilding etc. Illustrated through original documents and old pictures. Friendly and informal sessions. Newcomers welcome.

Targeted Courses in Goole

Enquiries: Julia Thompson **Tel:** 01757 638789 **Email:** jthompson@wea.org.uk

Helping in Schools NCFE

Tutor: Judith Jennings C3655308

Starts: Weds 14 Sept 2011, 9:30am for 14 sessions

Venue: Pollington-Balne CE Primary School, Balne Moor Road, Pollington, Goole DN14 0DZ

Fees: Free course

A course for parent helpers and other volunteers in primary schools. It aims to help you gain a better understanding of the school curriculum, how a school is organised and run, and how children learn.

Great Ayton Branch

Enquiries: Susan Mary Ward, Secretary, 38 Deepdale, Guisborough TS14 8JY

Tel: 01287 636357 **Email:** sue.ward.g@btconnect.com

(the contact person is a voluntary worker and is not always available)

Films Made from Novels

Tutor: Harriet Waterfield C3655242

Starts: Mon 26 Sept 2011, 1:30pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Stokesley Town Hall Trust, Market Place, Stokesley, Middlesborough TS9 5DG

Has a great novel ever been made into a great film? Four or five films will be chosen, shown and discussed during this course.

Seeing the Light and Understanding the Rainbow

Tutor: Fred Stevenson C3655244

Starts: Tues 4 Oct 2011, 7:15pm for 8 sessions

Venue: Friends' Meeting House - Great Ayton, High Green, TS9 6BJ

Fees: £48.00 Registration fee: £3.00

How exactly is a rainbow formed? We will also discuss the host of other optical marvels that can be seen in the sky including halos, coronas, sun pillars, sun-dogs and glories.

Yorkshire Dynasties

Tutor: Anthony Powell C3655243

Starts: Thurs 6 Oct 2011, 1:30pm for 8 sessions

Venue: Friends' Meeting House - Great Ayton, High Green, TS9 6BJ

Fees: £48.00 Registration fee: £3.00

Many country estates are still owned by the families who built them. We look at how, by marriage and inheritance, power and influence, they have kept their family names prominent to this day. Includes visits.

Literature: Poetry

Tutor: Harriet Waterfield C3655245

Starts: Mon 09 Jan 2012, 1:30pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Stokesley Town Hall Trust, Market Place, Stokesley, Middlesborough TS9 5DG

This course will cover many poets from the 17th century to the present day. Preliminary reading-list will be available from Harriet Waterfield, The Lodge, Great Broughton TS9 7HA. Tel: 01642 712551 closer to the time.

From Ayton to the Vale of Pickering: Introduction to Geology and Scenery

Tutor: David Taylor C3655247

Starts: Thurs 19 Jan 2012, 7:15pm for 8 sessions

Venue: Friends' Meeting House - Great Ayton, High Green, TS9 6BJ

Fees: £48.00 Registration fee: £3.00

This course will consist of 6 classes and 2 field trips. It is hoped the dates of the field trips will be available at enrolment on 19 January.

Plant Hunters

Tutor: Anthony Powell C3655246

Starts: Tues 21 Feb 2012, 1:30pm for 4 sessions

Venue: Friends' Meeting House - Great Ayton, High Green, TS9 6BJ

Fees: £24.00 Registration fee: £3.00

Plant hunters have had an important place in gardening history since the 16th century. We shall look at some important personalities through history to modern times.

Harrogate Branch

Enquiries: Paula Jane Winchester **Tel:** 01423 506657 (evenings only) **Email:** pwinchester@wea.org.uk

(the contact person is a voluntary worker and is not always available)

'Fairfax House in an Age of Elegance': A Day School

Tutor: Warwick Burton C3654729

Starts: Sat 23 July, 9.15am to 4.30pm

Venue: Ripley Town Hall, Main Street, Ripley, Harrogate HG3 3AX

Fees: £20.00 Including Lunch & Coffee & Tea

Fairfax House, one of the finest restored C18th Town Houses in the country. Be transported back to the Age of Elegance - furniture, silver, porcelain, costumes and glittering table settings. Enrolment form to 47 Hookstone Chase HG2 7HJ

Local History of Harrogate and Knaresborough

Tutor: Paul Jennings C3655502

Starts: Thurs 15 Sept 2011, 2:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Community House, 46-50 East Parade, Harrogate HG1 5RR

This course looks at aspects of the history of the neighbouring but contrasting towns of Harrogate and Knaresborough from the middle ages to the present day. We will do this using a range of varied and interesting sources.

Tracings and Personalities

Tutor: Wendy Sanderson C3655538

Starts: Mon 19 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Venue: Ripley Town Hall, Main Street, Ripley, Harrogate HG3 3AX

Raphael was taught by Perugino. According to Vasari "Perugino's father, sent his son to be the shop drudge of a painter in Perugia, who was not particularly distinguished in his calling". Compare 'taught' and 'developed' style of an artist.

Family History for Beginners

Tutor: Pamela Smith C3655326

Starts: Mon 19 Sept 2011, 10:30am for 10 sessions

Venue: Starbeck Methodist Church, High Street, Harrogate HG2 7LH

Curious about your family history or have you made a start and need some guidance? This course will introduce you to internet and traditional research methods to locate your ancestors. Places limited so to book your place contact Pam Smith on 0790 485 6099 or pam@pamsmithfamilyhistorian.co.uk

Four Novels set in India

Tutor: Jan MacKinnon C3655435

Starts: Tues 20 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Venue: Christ Church Parish Centre, Church Square, Harrogate HG1 4SW

Read, analyse and discuss four Booker Prize winning novels set in India, from the end of the British Raj to the present day. Staying On, Paul Scott; The God of Small Things, Arundhati Roy; The Inheritance of Loss, Kiran Desai; The White Tiger, Aravind Adiga.

Watercolour Painting and Drawing

Tutor: Meirion Robinson C3655494

Starts: Tues 20 Sept 2011, 9:30am for 10 sessions

Venue: Community House, 46-50 East Parade, Harrogate HG1 5RR

An opportunity to learn and explore watercolour and drawing techniques, skills and different styles of working. Choose from a variety of topics from still life, flowers, landscape, buildings etc. Most suitable for Improvers with some drawing and painting experience.

Watercolour Painting and Drawing

Tutor: Meirion Robinson C3655497

Starts: Tues 20 Sept 2011, 11:45am for 10 sessions

Venue: Community House, 46-50 East Parade, Harrogate HG1 5RR

An opportunity to learn and explore watercolour and drawing techniques, skills and different styles of working. Choose from a variety of topics from still life, flowers, landscape, buildings etc. Suitable for improvers and beginners.

Family History - Learning More, Part 1

Tutor: Jacqueline Depelle C3655519

Starts: Tues 20 Sept 2011, 10:15am for 10 sessions

Venue: Friends Meeting House, Queen Parade, Harrogate HG1 5PP

Experience a wide range of both original and online source material to further your research projects. Advance booking essential with tutor Jackie Depelle on 0113 236 0253 or depellejg@aol.com

Family History - Parish records

Tutor: Jacqueline Depelle C3655533

Starts: Tues 20 Sept 2011, 1:30pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Friends Meeting House, Queen Parade, Harrogate HG1 5PP

Join us to learn about using records before 1837, particularly Parish Registers. Try your hand at reading and transcribing old documents, whilst keeping up to date with documents appearing online. Come along and dip in the Parish Chest.

What do you think?

Introduction to Philosophy

Tutor: Keith Hartland C3655430

Starts: Weds 21 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Venue: Community House, 46-50 East Parade, Harrogate HG1 5RR

Have you ever wondered what philosophy was all about? Well, Aristotle held that philosophy starts with wonder. So you have already started. Join us in a series of informal seminar-like discussions and explore the wonderful world of ideas - your own included.

Family History - Developing your Family Tree

Tutor: Pamela Smith C3655327

Starts: Weds 21 Sept 2011, 1:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Starbeck Methodist Church, High Street, Harrogate HG2 7LH

Ready to put some flesh on the bones of your ancestors? This course will enable you to use internet and traditional research methods to locate your ancestors. Places limited, to book your place contact Pam Smith on 0790 485 6099 or pam@pamsmithfamilyhistorian.co.uk

Dark Satanic Mills

Tutor: Jonathan Brown C3655468

Starts: Weds 21 Sept 2011, 2:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: St. Robert's Church, Main Street, Pannal, Nr Harrogate HG3 1JZ

'Some Literary Responses to the Industrial Revolution'. We will read poetry and prose by author including: William Wordsworth, John Ruskin, Henry Mayhew, Oliver Goldsmith, George Crabbe, William Cobbett, Thomas Carlyle, Charles Dickens, and others.

Falling in Love with Movies

Tutor: Stephen Brown C3655504

Starts: Fri 23 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Venue: Community House, 46-50 East Parade, Harrogate HG1 5RR

A film study course for enthusiasts, not experts. We'll consider Elizabeth Taylor's contribution to movies. "Printing the Legend" looks at how cinema interprets real-life events from JFK to The King's Speech. We'll examine the work of make-up artists and whether director Werner Herzog is a genius or just maddening.

Creative Photography

Tutor: Michael Smith

Starts: Tues 27 Sept, 2:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Knaresborough Library, Market Place, Knaresborough, HG5 8AG

Largely practical course uses photography to develop your own creativity. Whilst camera technique is covered, emphasis is on what we photograph and why: Photography as art medium. For beginners and experienced, film and digital. Pre-enrolment advised.

The Great Houses of Yorkshire

Tutor: Warwick Burton C3655482

Starts: Tues 4 Oct 2011, 10:00am for 20 sessions

Venue: Community House, 46-50 East Parade, Harrogate HG1 5RR

Fees: £120.00 Registration fee: £6.00

We will look at these houses architecturally and with a special emphasis on the social history of the servants who worked in them and the families they served. We will include several visits to houses not normally open.

Women in Art

Tutor: Wendy Sanderson C3655544

Starts: Mon 09 Jan 2012, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Venue: Ripley Town Hall, Main Street, Ripley, Harrogate HG3 3AX

Women artists, women as subject, women as collectors, women as art historians.

Made in China

Tutor: Jan MacKinnon C3655436

Starts: Tues 10 Jan 2012, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Venue: Christ Church Parish Centre, Church Square, Harrogate HG1 4SW

Read, analyse and discuss novels and short stories set in pre and post-revolutionary China. 'The Good Earth' Pearl S. Buck (1931, reissued 2005), 'A Thousand Years of Good Prayers' (2006) and 'The Vagrants' (2009) Yiyun Li 'Balzac and the little Chinese Seamstress' (2002) Dai Sijie.

Family History - Learn More Part 2

Tutor: Jacqueline Depelle C3655534

Starts: Tues 10 Jan 2012, 10:15am for 10 sessions

Venue: Friends Meeting House, Queen Parade, Harrogate HG1 5PP

Continue to extend your knowledge and techniques using additional documentary sources. Advance booking with tutor Jackie Depelle on 0113 236 0253 or depellejg@aol.com

Family History - Records of the Poor

Tutor: Jacqueline Depelle C3655536

Starts: Tues 10 Jan 2012, 1:30pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Friends Meeting House, Queen Parade, Harrogate HG1 5PP

Most of our ancestors would have been involved with the Poor Law either paying into the system or receiving funds out of it. What will the records tell us and how might they help solve the riddle of unknown fathers? Join us to find out and challenge the group to solve the gaps in your tree before Civil Registration starts.

An Adventure in Thinking

Tutor: Keith Hartland C3655434

Starts: Weds 11 Jan 2012, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Venue: Community House, 46-50 East Parade, Harrogate HG1 5RR

Many themes and ideas have occupied philosophers for centuries. Consideration of them is as important today as in the time of Socrates. In a series of discussions, we shall explore those themes and ideas, relating them to the concerns and problems of the modern world.

Twentieth Century American Short Stories

Tutor: Jonathan Brown C3655478

Starts: Weds 11 Jan 2012, 2:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: St. Robert's Church, Main Street, Pannal, Nr Harrogate HG3 1JZ

We will read and discuss stories by: James Thurber, Shirley Jackson, Susan Glaspell, John Steinbeck, Ernest Hemingway, William Faulkner, John Cheever, Raymond Carver, Katherine Anne Porter, Carson McCullers, Eudora Welty and Flannery O'Connor. Texts provided.

Local History of Harrogate and

Knarborough

Tutor: Paul Jennings C3655503

Starts: Thurs 12 Jan 2012, 2:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Community House, 46-50 East Parade, Harrogate HG1 5RR

Continues its look at aspects of the history of the neighbouring and contrasting towns of Harrogate and Knarborough using a range of historical sources. It is not necessary to have done the earlier course, new students are welcome.

Falling in Love with Movies 2

Tutor: Stephen Brown C3655505

Starts: Fri 13 Jan 2012, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Venue: Community House, 46-50 East Parade, Harrogate HG1 5RR

This term we'll look at recent Australian cinema; a variety of movies old and new featuring trains; the work of the little-known South Korean director Hong Sang-Soo acclaimed for his emotional and sexual comedies and what the closing credits really tell us about the film industry.

Targeted Courses in Harrogate

Enquiries: Helen Widdowson **Tel:** 01904 671899 **Email:** hwiddowson@wea.org.uk

Artworks

Tutor: Rosalind Skaife D'Ingerthorpe C3655646

Starts: Weds 7 Sept 2011, 2:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: MIND Acorn Centre Harrogate 101 Station Parade, Harrogate HG1 1HB

Fees: Free Course

Gain confidence in drawing and painting in a friendly and supportive atmosphere. We will work from both imagination and observation using a variety of materials. No previous experience necessary. For more information contact Val on 01423 503335.

Family History - Beyond the Basics

Tutor: Pamela Smith C3655328

Starts: Mon 16 Jan 2012, 10:30am for 10 sessions

Venue: Starbeck Methodist Church, High Street, Harrogate North Yorkshire, HG2 7LH

Using parish records to take you further backwards on a voyage of discovery. Start to put more leaves on your family tree. Places limited so book your place by contacting Pam Smith on 0790 485 6099 or pam@pamsmithfamilyhistorian.co.uk

Watercolour Painting and Mixed Media

Tutor: Meirion Robinson C3655498

Starts: Tues 17 Jan 2012, 9:30am for 10 sessions

Venue: Community House, 46-50 East Parade, Harrogate HG1 5RR

The emphasis will be on exploring further and taking risks with watercolour: trying to be more adventurous. Developing a personal style of painting with a choice of topics, leading to a small themed project. Most suitable for Improvers.

Watercolour Painting and Mixed Media

Tutor: Meirion Robinson C3655500

Starts: Tues 17 Jan 2012, 11:45am for 10 sessions

Venue: Community House, 46-50 East Parade, Harrogate HG1 5RR

The emphasis will be on exploring further and taking risks with watercolour: trying to be more adventurous. Developing a personal style of painting with a choice of topics, leading to a small themed project. Suitable for Beginners and Improvers.

Family History -

Expanding your Family Tree

Tutor: Pamela Smith C3655329

Starts: Weds 18 Jan 2012, 1:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Starbeck Methodist Church, High Street, Harrogate HG2 7LH

Explore the magic of data management and get your research organised. Use trade directories etc to expand your family tree. How to research beyond your computer. Places limited. To book contact Pam Smith on 0790 485 6099 or pam@pamsmithfamilyhistorian.co.uk

Creative Writing

Tutor: Brinley Price C3655647

Starts: Weds 7 Sept 2011, 2:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: MIND Acorn Centre Harrogate 101 Station Parade, Harrogate HG1 1HB

Fees: Free Course

A friendly and supportive course for people with mental health problems. Come along and explore your creativity with the written word, suitable for beginners and those with more experience. For more information please contact Val on 01423 503335.

For more details go to www.wea.org.uk/yh

Helping in schools NCFE

Tutor: Judith Jennings C3655733

Starts: Tues 13 Sept 2011, 9:30am for 14 sessions

Venue: Bilton Children's Centre, Woodfield Road, Harrogate HG1 4HZ

Fees: Free Course

A course designed for parents and others who volunteer within primary schools and who are interested in learning more about the curriculum, the way schools work and how children learn. Leads to NCFE Level 2 Award Support Work in School.

Yoga

Tutor: Jane Cluley C3655670

Starts: Weds 14 Sept 2011, 1:30pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Friends Meeting House, Queen Parade, Harrogate HG1 5PP

Fees: Free course

This is a practical Yoga course for people with mental health problems to help improve mental and physical health.

Computer Workshop 1

Tutor: Kathleen French C3655644

Starts: Fri 16 Sept 2011, 11:00AM for 10 sessions

Venue: MIND Acorn Centre Harrogate 101 Station Parade, Harrogate HG1 1HB

Fees: Free course

This course is a supportive workshop to help people with mental health problems to improve their IT skills and their confidence. For more information please contact Val at the Acorn MIND Centre on 01423 503335.

Computer Workshop 2

Tutor: Kathleen French C3655645

Starts: Fri 16 Sept 2011, 1:30pm for 10 sessions

Venue: MIND Acorn Centre Harrogate 101 Station Parade, Harrogate HG1 1HB

Fees: Free Course

This course is a supportive workshop to help people with mental health problems to improve their IT skills and their confidence. For more information please contact Val at the Acorn MIND Centre on 01423 503335.

Computing For Carers

Tutor: Kathleen French C3655705

Starts: Mon 19 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Venue: Carers' Resource, 11 North Park Road, Harrogate HG1 5PD

Fees: Free course

A supportive workshop course to give carers more confidence in using computers for their own interests or to improve work skills. Beginners welcome. For a place or more information please contact Carers' Resource on 01423 500555.

Make Your Voice Heard

Tutor: Laura Taggart

Starts: Date and time tbc

Venue: MIND Acorn Centre, Harrogate

Fees: free course

Do you wish you were more confident about speaking up for yourself? Do you wish you were more assertive and confident generally? Join this friendly and supportive course. For more information please contact Val on 01423 503335.

Haxby and Wigginton Branch

Enquiries: Judith Hoyle, Secretary, 26 Elder Grove, Haxby, York YO32 3GE

Tel: 01904 766762 **Email:** judithkh251@talktalk.net

(the contact person is a voluntary worker and is not always available)

Afghanistan - From the Great Game to the Taliban and Beyond

Tutor: Stephen Cox C3655163

Starts: Mon 19 Sept 2011, 7:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Wigginton Church Hall, Back Lane, Wigginton, York YO32 2ZH

Fees: £57.00 Registration fee: £6.00

The course aims to provide students with some collateral knowledge with which to understand and explain the current conflict in Afghanistan by outlining the origins and development of some of its key historical features.

Drawing and Painting

Tutor: Clare Wake C3655165

Starts: Weds 21 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Venue: Oaken Grove Community Centre, Reid Park, Haxby, York YO32 3QW

Fees: £57.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Demonstrations and individual advice to help you develop your skills and confidence using a variety of media. Friendly and supportive atmosphere; all levels catered for. Some materials supplied. Places are limited: please pre-enrol.

The Age of Revolution Pt 1

Tutor: Robert Wright C3655167

Starts: Weds 21 Sept 2011, 2:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Wigginton Church Hall, Back Lane, Wigginton, York YO32 2ZH

Fees: £57.00 Registration fee: £6.00

An overview of European history from 1789 to 1815, from the French Revolution to the fall of Napoleon Bonaparte. We will also examine developments in art, music and literature.

The Monarchy of Wit

Tutor: Jonathan Brown C3655207

Starts: Thurs 22 Sept 2011, 2:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Oaken Grove Community Centre, Reid Park, Haxby, York YO32 3QW

Fees: £57.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Examining poetry by John Donne and those C17th poets who sought to emulate him, writing of seduction, romantic love and sacred love with the ingenuity they would have called 'wit'. Texts provided by tutor.

Course fees will be Full £60.00 Registration Fee £3.00 unless stated in the course description.

Registration Fee: (only payable by learners on an eligible benefit). Benefits are listed on Your Questions Answered page.

For more details go to www.wea.org.uk/yh

Heritage and Masterpiece: Capturing Images of British Art

Tutor: Wendy Sanderson C3655208

Starts: Fri 23 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Venue: Wigginton Church Hall, Back Lane, Wigginton, York YO32 2ZH

Fees: £57.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Studying the art of the 16th to 18th centuries, starting with Holbein (portrait artist of Henry VIII) and moving onto Reynolds and Gainsborough. These paintings are so full of our familiar landscapes, personalities and history.

Drawing and Painting

Tutor: Clare Wake C3655209

Starts: Weds 11 Jan 2012, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Venue: Oaken Grove Community Centre, Reid Park, Haxby, York YO32 3QW

Fees: £57.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Demonstrations and individual advice to help you develop your skills and confidence using a variety of media. Friendly and supportive atmosphere; all levels catered for. Some materials supplied. Places are limited: please pre-enrol.

The Age of Revolution Pt 2

Tutor: Robert Wright C3655210

Starts: Weds 11 Jan 2012, 2:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Wigginton Church Hall, Back Lane, Wigginton, York YO32 2ZH

Fees: £57.00 Registration fee: £6.00

An overview of European history from 1789 to 1815, from the French Revolution to the fall of Napoleon Bonaparte. We will also be examining developments in art, music and literature. This is a continuation of last term's course, but new students will be very welcome.

The Rise of Fascism in Interwar Europe

Tutor: David Beeston C3655211

Starts: Weds 11 Jan 2012, 7:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Wigginton Recreation Hall, The Village, Wigginton, York YO32 2PL

Fees: £57.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Fascism is now a discredited ideology. However, between the World Wars Fascist parties gained power in some of Europe's largest and most developed countries. This course will analyse their ideology, rise to power and popular appeal.

Brush up your Shakespeare:

'As You Like It'

Tutor: Jonathan Brown C3655212

Starts: Thurs 12 Jan 2012, 2:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Oaken Grove Community Centre, Reid Park, Haxby, York YO32 3QW

Fees: £57.00 Registration fee: £6.00

We will study Shakespeare's play 'As You Like It' by comparing and discussing different performances shown on DVD during the class. Students will find it helpful to have a copy of the text of the play.

Galleries of Yorkshire

Tutor: Wendy Sanderson C3655213

Starts: Fri 13 Jan 2012, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Venue: Wigginton Church Hall, Back Lane, Wigginton, York YO32 2ZH

Fees: £57.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Yorkshire's galleries are full of intriguing and rare works of art. We'll study some of them in class and then see them for real on our field trips.

Hessle

Courses for parents will be starting again in September at Hessle Children's Centre.
For details, please ring 01482 629085

Hornsea

Enquiries: Nicole Headley **Tel:** 01482 610833 **Email:** nheadley@wea.org.uk

Hornsea Library, 77 Newbegin, Hornsea HU18 1PA

Mornings Among Churches

Tutor: Arthur Geoff Bell C3655529

Starts: Fri 23 Sept 2011, 10:30am for 20 sessions

Fees: £120.00 Registration fee: £6.00, payable in 2 instalments.

An opportunity to discover and enjoy the architecture and fittings of English Churches. Slide illustrated informal talks and discussions.

Course fees will be Full £60.00 Registration Fee £3.00 unless stated in the course description.

Registration Fee: (only payable by learners on an eligible benefit). Benefits are listed on Your Questions Answered page.

Hull

Enquiries: Nicole Headley *Tel:* 01482 610833 *Email:* nheadley@wea.org.uk

Acorns Children's Centre, Nestor Grove, Bilton Grange, Hull HU9 4DB

Christmas Crafts

Tutor: Julie Smith C3655484

Starts: Tues 1 Nov 2011, 10:00am for 6 sessions

Fees: Free course

Fun course for all your seasonal decorations. Includes making Christmas cards, wreaths, table decorations and much more. Creche places available. Please ring the Children's Centre on 01482 708953 to book a place.

Managing Children's Behaviour

Tutor: Janet Illidge C3655520

Starts: Tues 10 Jan 2012, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Fees: Free course

This course will help you to gain a better understanding of your children's behaviour. You will explore a range of ideas and strategies to help you deal with aspects of their behaviour. Creche places available. Please ring the Children's Centre on 01482 708953 to book a place.

Ainthorpe Children's Centre, Ainthorpe Grove, Hull HU5 5EB

Please ring Alex or Sue on 01482 502466 with enquiries for the following courses:

Helping with SEN in Primary Schools

Tutor: Julia Thompson C3655783

Starts: Fri 23 Sept 2011, 9:30am for 10 sessions

Fees: Free course

Topics will include: understanding different types of SEN, supporting pupils in mainstream and special schools, strategies, activities and games to help pupils, etc. You can gain OCN accreditation if you wish. Free course but there is a charge for accreditation.

Pre-CLAiT Computer Workshop

Tutor: Christopher Spelman C3655492

Starts: Fri 23 Sept 2011, 9:30am for 10 sessions

You will work at your own pace and gain skills in word processing, spreadsheets, database, powerpoint, desktop publishing or computer art. This course will enable you to progress onto an accredited CLAiT course if you wish.

Bransholme Community Art Enterprise, Dorchester Road, Bransholme, Hull HU7 6AH

Computer Workshop for the Over 50s

Tutor: Shaun McKnight C3655633

Starts: Tues 20 Sept 2011, 5:30pm for 10 sessions

Learn to use computers in a friendly and supportive atmosphere. Enquiries: Nicole Headley on 01482 610833.

Chiltern Primary School, Chiltern Street, Hull HU3 3PL

The following courses are for parents and families of children attending Chiltern Primary School. Please ring the school on 01482 327315 to book a place.

Arts and Crafts

Tutor: Julie Smith C3655448

Starts: Weds 21 Sept 2011, 1:00pm for 10 sessions

Fees: Free course

Learn the techniques to make cards, boxes, parchment etc. Step-by-step demonstrations and one-to-one guidance throughout the course. You will have the opportunity to complete several projects using your newly acquired skills and abilities.

Painting with Oils

Tutor: Julie Smith C3655454

Starts: Fri 23 Sept 2011, 9:30am for 10 sessions

Fees: Free course

Building up week by week, you will learn and develop your individual skills to mix colour, use a variety of brushes and palette knives, create depth and distance, create light, shadow and reflection.

Arts and Crafts

Tutor: Julie Smith C3655451

Starts: Weds 11 Jan 2012, 1:00pm for 10 sessions

Fees: Free course

Learn the techniques to make cards, boxes, parchment etc. Step-by-step demonstrations and one-to-one guidance throughout the course. You will have the opportunity to complete several projects using your newly acquired skills and abilities.

Painting with Oils

Tutor: Julie Smith C3655455

Starts: Fri 13 Jan 2012, 9:30am for 10 sessions

Fees: Free course

Building up week by week, you will learn and develop your individual skills to mix colour, use a variety of brushes and palette knives, create depth and distance, create light, shadow and reflection.

Arts and Crafts

Tutor: Julie Smith C3655452

Starts: Weds 18 April 2012, 1:00pm for 10 sessions

Fees: Free course

Learn the techniques to make cards, boxes, parchment etc. Step-by-step demonstrations and one-to-one guidance throughout the course. You will have the opportunity to complete several projects using your newly acquired skills and abilities.

Painting with Oils

Tutor: Julie Smith C3655456

Starts: Fri 20 April 2012, 9:30am for 10 sessions

Fees: Free course

Building up week by week, you will learn and develop your individual skills to mix colour, use a variety of brushes and palette knives, create depth and distance, create light, shadow and reflection.

For more details go to www.wea.org.uk/yh

Edinburgh Street Community Centre, 140 Woodcock Street, Hull HU3 5AN

Painting with Oils

Tutor: Julie Smith C3655634

Starts: Thurs 22 Sept 2011, 9:30am for 10 sessions

Fees: Free course

Building up week by week, you will learn and develop your individual skills to mix colour, use a variety of brushes and palette knives, create depth and distance, create light, shadow and reflections.

Hull Community Church, 310 Newland Avenue, Hull HU5 2NB

Christmas Crafts

Tutor: Julie Smith C3655486

Starts: Weds 21 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Fees: Free course

Fun course for all your seasonal decorations. Includes making Christmas cards, wreaths, table decorations and much more. This course is for women taking part in the Next Step Project. Please ring Jadie Allenby on 01482 442953 for enquiries.

Hull & East Yorkshire Mind, Trafalgar House, 41-45 Beverley Road, Hull HU3 1XH

Please contact 01482 240133 with enquiries regarding the following courses:

Painting with Oils

Tutor: Julie Smith C3655457

Starts: Thurs 22 Sept 2011, 1:00pm for 10 sessions

Building up week by week, you will learn and develop your individual skills to mix colour, use a variety of brushes and palette knives, create depth and distance, create light, shadow and reflection.

Arts and Crafts

Tutor: Julie Smith C3655453

Starts: Fri 23 Sept 2011, 1:00pm for 10 sessions

Learn the techniques to make cards, boxes, parchment etc. Step-by-step demonstrations and one-to-one guidance throughout the course. You will have the opportunity to complete several projects using your newly acquired skills and abilities.

Painting with Oils

Tutor: Julie Smith C3655582

Starts: Thurs 12 Jan 2012, 1:00pm for 10 sessions

Building up week by week, you will learn and develop your individual skills to mix colour, use a variety of brushes and palette knives, create depth and distance, create light, shadow and reflection.

Arts and Crafts

Tutor: Julie Smith C3655587

Starts: Fri 13 Jan 2012, 1:00pm for 10 sessions

Learn the techniques to make cards, boxes, parchment etc. Step-by-step demonstrations and one-to-one guidance throughout the course. You will have the opportunity to complete several projects using your newly acquired skills.

Painting with Oils

Tutor: Julie Smith C3655586

Starts: Thurs 19 April 2012, 1:00pm for 10 sessions

Building up week by week, you will learn and develop your individual skills to mix colour, use a variety of brushes and palette knives, create depth and distance, create light, shadow and reflection.

Arts and Crafts

Tutor: Julie Smith C3655589

Starts: Fri 20 April 2012, 1:00pm for 10 sessions

Learn the techniques to make cards, boxes, parchment etc. Step-by-step demonstrations and one-to-one guidance throughout the course. You will have the opportunity to complete several projects using your newly acquired skills.

Mitchell Community Centre, Goodrich Close, Hull HU2 0BG

Please contact Nicole Headley on 01482 610833 to book a place on the following courses:

Introduction to Computing for the over 50s

Tutor: Elsa Saleh C3655429

Starts: Tues 20 Sept 2011, 1:15pm for 10 sessions

Learn skills from using the mouse, filing work, producing leaflets, making posters, cards and calendars and more.

Use IT to Record your Life

Tutor: Elsa Saleh C3655420

Starts: Thurs 22 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Use and improve your IT skills (word processing, desk-top publishing, photo editing, document and picture scanning) to create a booklet which records your memories for your children and grandchildren.

Introduction to Computing for the over 50s

Tutor: Elsa Saleh C3655431

Starts: Tues 10 Jan 2012, 1:15pm for 10 sessions

Learn skills from using the mouse, filing work, producing leaflets, making posters, cards and more.

Use IT to Record your Life

Tutor: Elsa Saleh C3655421

Starts: Thurs 12 Jan 2012, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Use and improve your IT skills (word processing, desk-top publishing, photo editing, document and picture scanning) to create a booklet which records your memories for your children and grandchildren.

Introduction to Computing for the over 50s

Tutor: Elsa Saleh C3655432

Starts: Tues 17 April 2012, 1:15pm for 10 sessions

Learn skills from using the mouse, filing work, producing leaflets, making posters, cards and calendars and more.

Use IT to Record your Life

Tutor: Elsa Saleh C3655422

Starts: Thurs 19 April 2012, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Use and improve your IT skills (word processing, desk-top publishing, photo editing, document and picture scanning) to create a booklet which records your memories for your children and grandchildren.

Preston Road Women's Centre, 60-62 Preston Road, Hull HU9 3RT

Arts and Crafts

Tutor: Julie Smith C3655471

Starts: Mon 19 Sept 2011, 1:00pm for 10 sessions

Fees: Free course

Learn the techniques to make cards, boxes, parchment etc. Step-by-step demonstrations and one-to-one guidance throughout the course. You will have the opportunity to complete several projects using your newly acquired skills and abilities.

For more details go to www.wea.org.uk/yh

Brush up your Maths

Tutor: tbc

Starts: Tues 20 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Fees: Free course

Whether you need a qualification for work, wish you could help your children more with their homework or feel your Maths skills need updating, this is your chance to improve your Maths and an opportunity to take a recognised qualification. Creche places available. Please ring 01482 790310 to book a place.

Brush up your English

Tutor: tbc

Starts: Tues 20 Sept 2011, 1:00pm for 10 sessions

Fee: Free course

Whether you need a qualification for work, wish you could help your children more with their homework or feel your English skills need updating, this is your chance to improve your reading and writing skills and an opportunity to take a recognised qualification. Creche places available. Please ring 01482 790310 to book a place.

Arts and Crafts

Tutor: Julie Smith

C3655474

Starts: Mon 9 Jan 2012, 1:00pm for 10 sessions

Fees: Free course

Learn the techniques to make cards, boxes, parchment etc. Step-by-step demonstrations and one-to-one guidance throughout the course. You will have the opportunity to complete several projects using your newly acquired skills and abilities.

Pre-CLAiT Computer Workshop

Tutor: tbc

Starts: Tues 10 Jan 2012, 1:00pm for 10 sessions

Fees: Free course

You will work at your own pace and gain skills in word processing, spreadsheets, database, powerpoint, desktop publishing or computer art. This course will enable you to progress onto an accredited CLAiT course if you wish.

Arts and Crafts

Tutor: Julie Smith

C3655476

Starts: Mon 16 April 2012, 1:00pm for 10 sessions

Fees: Free course

Learn the techniques to make cards, boxes, parchment etc. Step-by-step demonstrations and one-to-one guidance throughout the course. You will have the opportunity to complete several projects using your newly acquired skills and abilities.

Priory Road Children's Centre, Priory Road, Hull HU5 5RU

Please ring Alex or Sue on 01482 502466 with enquiries for the following courses:

Healthy Families

Tutor: Janet Illidge

C3655598

Starts: Mon 19 Sept 2011, 9:30am for 10 sessions

Fees: Free course

This course will help you to understand health issues such as diet, lifestyle, health and safety in the home, stress management etc and to make realistic and informed choices for yourself and your family.

Introduction to Child Psychology

Tutor: TBC

Starts: Fri 23 Sept 2011, 9:30am for 10 sessions

Fees: Free course

This course will help to give you a much clearer understanding of the importance of play in a child's life, how children think and feel and how they develop in terms of language and social interaction.

The Gipsyville Multi Resource Centre, 728 - 730 Hessle Road, Hull HU4 6JA

Please ring Alex or Sue on 01482 502466 with enquiries for the following courses:

Games and Activities to Support Children's Learning

Tutor: Janet Hutton

C3655578

Starts: Thurs 22 Sept 2011, 1:00pm for 5 sessions

Fees: Free course

Have fun making games to support children aged 4 - 9 years with their learning, particularly with their reading and writing. A chance to assess your own skills and to progress to an accredited literacy course.

Let's talk about money

Tutor: Kim Turner

Starts: Date & Time tbc, Start date tbc 10 sessions

Fees: Free course

Get to grips with some of the basics of money and learn how best to manage it so that you can make the most of what you have.

The Rainbow Children's Centre, Wheeler Street, Hull HU3 5QE

Please ring Alex or Sue on 01482 502466 with enquiries for the following courses:

Have a go at Crafts

Tutor: Tanya Knights

C3655576

Starts: Mon 19 Sept 2011, 9:30am for 10 sessions

Fees: Free course

You will be having a go rather than pushing for perfection. Using very little specialist equipment, you will have fun re-using and recycling. You will learn a range of crafts including paper, card and textiles.

Pre CLAiT Computer Workshop

Tutor: Elsa Saleh

C3655433

Starts: Weds 21 Sept 2011, 9:30am for 10 sessions

Fees: Free course

You will work at your own pace and gain skills in word processing, spreadsheets, database, powerpoint, desktop publishing or computer art. This course will enable you to progress onto an accredited CLAiT course if you wish.

OCR ITQ Level 1 (CLAiT) Workshop

Tutor: Elsa Saleh

C3655439

Starts: Weds 21 Sept 2011, 1:00pm for 10 sessions

Fees: Free course

You will be expected to achieve one unit in word processing, spreadsheets, database, desktop publishing, powerpoint or computer art by the end of the course. Some prior knowledge is essential. Accreditation fee £18.30 (free if on low income).

English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL)

Tutor: Mira Brown

Starts: Thurs 22 Sept 2011, 9:30am for 10 sessions

Fees: Free course

Learners will develop and improve their speaking, listening, reading and writing skills and work towards a City and Guilds certificate. The course will help them in their daily life and help them to progress to employment or further education.

For more details go to www.wea.org.uk/yh

ESOL with Citizenship

Tutor: Mira Brown

Starts: Thurs 22 Sept 2011, 1:30pm for 10 sessions

Fees: Free course

This course will help people whose first language is not English to gain knowledge of life in the UK at the same time as they are improving their language skills.

Pre CLAiT Computer Workshop

Tutor: Elsa Saleh C3655437

Starts: Weds 11 Jan 2012, 9:30am for 10 sessions

Fees: Free course

You will work at your own pace and gain skills in word processing, spreadsheets, database, powerpoint, desktop publishing or computer art. This course will enable you to progress onto an accredited CLAiT course if you wish.

OCR ITQ Level 1 (CLAiT) Workshop

Tutor: Elsa Saleh C3655441

Starts: Weds 11 Jan 2012, 1:00pm for 10 sessions

Fees: Free course

You will be expected to achieve one unit in word processing, spreadsheets, database, desktop publishing, powerpoint or computer art by the end of the course. Some prior knowledge is essential. Accreditation fee £18.30 (free if on low income).

Pre CLAiT Computer Workshop

Tutor: Elsa Saleh C3655438

Starts: Weds 18 April 2012, 9:30am for 10 sessions

Fees: Free course

You will work at your own pace and gain skills in word processing, spreadsheets, database, powerpoint, desktop publishing or computer art. This course will enable you to progress onto an accredited CLAiT course if you wish.

OCR ITQ Level 1 (CLAiT) workshop

Tutor: Elsa Saleh C3655442

Starts: Weds 18 April 2012, 1:00pm for 10 sessions

Fees: Free course

You will be expected to achieve one unit in word processing, spreadsheets, database, desktop publishing, powerpoint or computer art by the end of the course. Some prior knowledge is essential. Accreditation fee £18.30 (free if on low income).

Tilbury Road Children's Centre, Tilbury Road, Hull HU4 7EN

Please ring Alex or Sue on 01482 502466 with enquiries for the following course:

Confidence Building

Tutor: Janet Illidge C3655523

Starts: Thurs 22 Sept 2011, 1:00pm for 10 sessions

Fees: Free course

Enhance your self-esteem. Build your confidence to deal with everyday situations. Learn to be more assertive and positive and increase your enjoyment of life.

Kirkbymoorside

Enquiries: Nicole Headley **Tel:** 01482 610833 **Email:** nheadley@wea.org.uk

True Voices of Feeling (Part 1)

Tutor: John Dean C3655775

Starts: Mon 19 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Venue: The Library, Church House, 7 High Market Place, Kirkbymoorside YO62 6AT

Childhood, Nature, Love and Society: We shall study autobiography, fiction and poetry: Laurie Lee, Thomas Hardy, A.E. Housman, Winifred Holtby, Seamus Heaney, Herbert Read's poetry and '101 Poems for the Planet'.

True Voices of Feeling (Part 2)

Tutor: John Dean C3655776

Starts: Mon 9 Jan 2012, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Venue: The Library, Church House, 7 High Market Place, Kirkbymoorside YO62 6AT

Childhood, Nature, Love and Society. We continue to explore autobiography, fiction, drama and poetry (new students welcome): William Wordsworth, Byron, Clare, George Eliot, G.M Hopkins, Dylan Thomas, Herbert Read: 'The Green Child', 'The Innocent Eye'

Leven

Enquiries: Nicole Headley **Tel:** 01482 610833 **Email:** nheadley@wea.org.uk

Leven Primary School, South Street, Leven HU17 5NX

Effective Watercolour 1

Tutor: Steve Waller C3655314

Starts: Thurs 22 Sept 2011, 7:00pm for 10 sessions

A steadily paced journey through varied subjects. Step-by-step method with individual attention throughout. Learn how to create a wide range of effects with stunning results. Packed with useful tips and advice.

Effective Watercolour 2

Tutor: Steve Waller C3655324

Starts: Thurs 12 Jan 2012, 7:00pm for 10 sessions

A step-by-step approach guiding you through each subject from initial drawing stages to finishing brush strokes. Learn about technique, colour mixing, rescue tips etc ... Lots of helpful advice along the way.

For more details go to www.wea.org.uk/yh

Effective Watercolour 3

Tutor: Steve Waller C3655374

Starts: Thurs 19 April 2012, 7:00pm for 10 sessions

Learn a variety of methods and techniques in watercolour painting. Guided tuition and individual attention throughout. Tackle varied step-by-step subjects in a relaxed informative atmosphere.

New Ellerby

Enquiries: Nicole Headley **Tel:** 01482 610833 **Email:** nheadley@wea.org.uk

New Ellerby Methodist Church, Granville Terrace, New Ellerby HU11 5AR

Aspects of Watercolour 1

Tutor: Steve Waller C3655306

Starts: Mon 19 Sept 2011, 1:30pm for 10 sessions

Improve your technique. Learn how to add mood, depth and impact to your watercolours. Step-by-step demonstrations will help you to produce a wide range of effects to enhance your paintings.

Aspects of Watercolour 2

Tutor: Steve Waller C3655317

Starts: Mon 9 Jan 2012, 1:30pm for 10 sessions

Learn how to create special effects and take your watercolours a stage further to give added impact. Subject matter carefully varied to include many different approaches and techniques with demonstrations, tips and advice given throughout.

Aspects of Watercolour 3

Tutor: Steve Waller C3655367

Starts: Mon 16 April 2012, 1:30pm for 10 sessions

Improve your watercolours. Deal with problem areas and tricky composition. Learn a wide range of techniques and methods that will transform your paintings. Individual attention and guidance through the painting stages.

Nidderdale

Enquiries: Ros Wade, Secretary, Meadow Bank, Wath Road, Pateley Bridge HG3 5LN

Tel: 01423 712132 **Email:** rwade@wea.org.uk

(the contact person is a voluntary worker and is not always available)

Yoga

Tutor: Sarah Drew C3655549

Starts: Tues 13 Sept 2011, 9:20am for 12 sessions

Venue: Pateley Bridge Methodist Church, Ripon Road, Pateley Bridge, HG3 5NL

Fees: £56.00 Registration fee: £4.00

Yoga practice can help maintain holistic health, good posture, good breathing habits etc. It has also been attributed with "ironing out the wrinkles" of the mind. We will work to combine a number of simple techniques in each meeting and try to get deeper into their purpose. All welcome.

Birdwatching for Everyone

Tutor: Sheila Nash C3655554

Starts: Weds 21 Sept 2011, 9:30am for 4 sessions

Venue: Various Sites

Fees: £53.00 Registration fee: £1.00

In 4 day visits we will look at the way birds feed, are adapted to different foods, what we feed them and where that food comes from. Including the growing of bird food to sell and to feed birds in the wild, such as through the High level stewardship scheme and to feed birds in the wild and on reserves.

Birdwatching for Everyone

Tutor: Sheila Nash C3655553

Starts: Thurs 22 Sept 2011, 9:30am for 10 sessions

Venue: Pateley Bridge Council Offices, King Street, Pateley Bridge HG3 5LE

Fees: £53.00 Registration fee: £1.00

In this course we will look at the way birds feed, how they are adapted to different foods, what we feed them and where that food comes from. This will include a look at the growing of bird food both to sell to birdwatchers and to feed birds in the wild, such as through the High level stewardship scheme and on reserves.

Irish Short Stories

Tutor: Jonathan Brown C3655596

Starts: Fri 23 Sept 2011, 2:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Summerbridge Methodist Church Hall, Main Street, Summerbridge HG3 4JH

Fees: £57.00 Registration fee: £4.00

Read and discuss stories by: Flann O'Brien, Joyce Cary, James Stephens, Sean O'Faolain, James Joyce, William Trevor, Elizabeth Bowen, Liam O'Flaherty, Frank O'Connor, George Moore, Somerville & Ross, Brendan Behan, Colm Toibin, Anne Enright, Roddy Doyle. Texts supplied.

For more details go to www.wea.org.uk/yh

The Vitality of the English Country House

Tutor: Anthony Powell C3655559

Starts: Mon 26 Sept 2011, 2:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Village Room, High Street, Hampsthwaite, Harrogate HG3 2EP

Fees: £57.00 Registration fee: £4.00

This course considers how and why the country houses came about, their effect on the countryside, the owners, the builders, the finance and the local community. We'll also visit some of Yorkshire's many fine examples.

Yoga

Tutor: Sarah Drew C3655550

Starts: Tues 10 Jan 2012, 9:20am for 12 sessions

Venue: Pateley Bridge Methodist Church, Ripon Road, Pateley Bridge, HG3 5NL

Fees: £56.00 Registration fee: £4.00

Yoga practice can help maintain holistic health, good posture, good breathing habits etc. It has also been attributed with "ironing out the wrinkles of the mind". We will work to combine a number of simple techniques in each meeting and try to get deeper into their purpose. All welcome.

Ten Twentieth Century Poets

Tutor: Jonathan Brown C3655599

Starts: Fri 13 Jan 2012, 2:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Summerbridge Methodist Church Hall, Main Street, Summerbridge, HG3 4JH

Fees: £57.00 Registration fee: £4.00

We will study poems by William Butler Yeats, T S Eliot, D H Lawrence, W H Auden, Philip Larkin, Ted Hughes, Seamus Heaney, Robert Lowell, Robert Frost and Elizabeth Bishop. All texts will be provided by the tutor.

Birdwatching for Everyone

Tutor: Sheila Nash C3655558

Starts: Weds 18 Jan 2012, 9:30am for 4 sessions

Venue: Various Sites

Fees: £53.00 Registration fee: £1.00

In 4 day-visits we will study some Yorkshire Dales birds listed as birds of conservation concern, including birds of prey such as Merlin, also Grey Partridge, Black Grouse, Twite, Yellow Wagtail and Reed Bunting.

Birdwatching for Everyone

Tutor: Sheila Nash C3655555

Starts: Thurs 19 Jan 2012, 9:30am for 10 sessions

Venue: Pateley Bridge Council Offices, King Street, Pateley Bridge, North Yorkshire, HG3 5LE

Fees: £53.00 Registration fee: £1.00

We will study some Yorkshire Dales birds listed as birds of conservation concern, including birds of prey such as Merlin, also Grey Partridge, Black Grouse, Twite, Yellow Wagtail and Reed Bunting.

Yoga

Tutor: Sarah Drew C3655551

Starts: Tues 24 April 2012, 9:20am for 12 sessions

Venue: Pateley Bridge Methodist Church, Ripon Road, Pateley Bridge, HG3 5NL

Fees: £56.00 Registration fee: £4.00

Yoga practice can help maintain holistic health, good posture, good breathing habits etc. It has also been attributed with "ironing out the wrinkles of the mind". We will work to combine a number of simple techniques in each meeting and try to get deeper into their purpose. All welcome.

Birdwatching for Everyone

Tutor: Sheila Nash

Date and time to be confirmed (Summer Term)

Venue: Various visits

Fees: £53.00 Registration Fee: £1.00

4 day-visits to sites specially chosen for their diverse range of birds. You will be responsible for your own travel, but arrangements will be made for car sharing. NB Dates to be arranged nearer the time.

Targeted Courses in Northallerton

Enquiries: Julia Thompson **Tel:** 01757 638789 **Email:** jthompson@wea.org.uk

Helping in Schools NCFE

Tutor: Judith Jennings C3655485

Starts: Fri 13 Jan 2012, 9:30am for 14 sessions

Venue: Mill Hill Primary School, Crosby Road, Northallerton, DL6 1AS

Fees: Free course

A course aimed at parent helpers and other volunteers in schools. It aims to help you gain a better understanding of the school curriculum, how a school is organised and run, and how children learn.

Pickering Branch

Enquiries: David Clark, Secretary, 22 Swainsea Lane, Pickering YO18 8AP

Tel: 01751 476118 **Email:** jdsclark@btinternet.com

(the contact person is a voluntary worker and is not always available)

Gentle Yoga 1

Tutor: Shirley Gilroy C3655289

Starts: Thurs 8 Sept 2011, 9:30am for 13 sessions

Venue: Pickering Memorial Hall, Potter Hill, Pickering YO18 8AA

Fees: £65.00 Registration fee: £3.00

Yoga provides gentle exercise, relaxation, stress management and breathing techniques. The holistic approach has many health benefits. Use Pre-enrolment form - booking essential.

Gentle Yoga 2

Tutor: Shirley Gilroy C3655290

Starts: Thurs 8 Sept 2011, 11:30am for 13 sessions

Venue: Pickering Memorial Hall, Potter Hill, Pickering YO18 8AA

Fees: £65.00 Registration fee: £3.00

Yoga provides gentle exercise, relaxation, stress management and breathing techniques.

The holistic approach has many health benefits.

Use Pre-enrolment form - booking essential.

Gentle Yoga 3

Tutor: Shirley Gilroy C3655291

Starts: Thurs 8 Sept 2011, 2:00pm for 13 sessions

Venue: Pickering Memorial Hall, Potter Hill, Pickering YO18 8AA

Fees: £65.00 Registration fee: £3.00

Yoga provides gentle exercise, relaxation, stress management and breathing techniques.

The holistic approach has many health benefits.

Use Pre-enrolment form - booking essential.

Dark Satanic Mills

Tutor: Jonathan Brown C3655361

Starts: Tues 20 Sept 2011, 1:15pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Pickering Library, Pickering Library, The Ropery, Pickering YO18 8DY

The course will include some literary responses to the Industrial Revolution. The works of W. Wordsworth, J. Ruskin, H. Mayhew, O. Goldsmith, G. Crabbe, W. Cobbett, T. Carlyle, C. Dickens, and others will be studied.

The Mongols

Tutor: Robert Wright C3655357

Starts: Thurs 22 Sept 2011, 9:30am for 10 sessions

Venue: Pickering Memorial Hall, Potter Hill, Pickering YO18 8AA

Course content information not available at time of print.

Mediaeval Flora and Fauna: Dayschool

Tutor: Marie Addyman C3655362

Starts: Sat 29 Oct 2011, 10:00am - 4:00PM

Venue: Pickering Memorial Hall, Potter Hill, Pickering YO18 8AA

Fees: £20.00 Booking Essential

Northern Landscape Artists:

1800-1850; Whitby and Pickering Railway

Artists: Dayschool

Tutor: Gordon Bell C3655363

Starts: Sat 12 Nov 2011 at 10:00am - 4:00PM

Venue: Pickering Memorial Hall, Potter Hill, Pickering YO18 8AA

Fees: £20.00 Booking Essential

Gentle Yoga 1 (Spring Term)

Tutor: Shirley Gilroy C3655346

Starts: Thurs 5 Jan 2012, 9:30am for 13 sessions

Venue: Pickering Memorial Hall, Potter Hill, Pickering North Yorkshire, YO18 8AA

Fees: £65.00 Registration fee: £3.00

Yoga provides gentle exercise, relaxation, stress management and breathing techniques. The holistic approach has many health benefits. Use Pre-enrolment form - booking essential.

Gentle Yoga 2 (Spring Term)

Tutor: Shirley Gilroy C3655348

Starts: Thurs 5 Jan 2012, 11:30am for 13 sessions

Venue: Pickering Memorial Hall, Potter Hill, Pickering YO18 8AA

Fees: £65.00 Registration fee: £3.00

Yoga provides gentle exercise, relaxation, stress management and breathing techniques.

The holistic approach has many health benefits. Use Pre-enrolment form - booking essential.

Gentle Yoga 3 (Spring Term)

Tutor: Shirley Gilroy C3655350

Starts: Thurs 5 Jan 2012, 2:00pm for 13 sessions

Venue: Pickering Memorial Hall, Potter Hill, Pickering YO18 8AA

Fees: £65.00 Registration fee: £3.00

Yoga provides gentle exercise, relaxation, stress management and breathing techniques.

The holistic approach has many health benefits. Use Pre-enrolment form - booking essential.

Ten 20th Century Poets

Tutor: Jonathan Brown C3655359

Starts: Tues 10 Jan 2012, 1:15pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Pickering Library, Pickering Library, The Ropery, Pickering North Yorkshire, YO18 8DY

Including William Butler, Yeats, T.S. Eliot, D.H. Lawrence, W.H. Auden, P. Larkin, S. Heaney, R. Lowell, R. Frost and Elizabeth Bishop. All texts provided.

Medieval Monasticism

Tutor: Robert Wright C3655360

Starts: Thurs 12 Jan 2012, 9:30am for 10 sessions

Venue: Pickering Memorial Hall, Potter Hill, Pickering YO18 8AA

Course content information not available at time of print.

For more details go to www.wea.org.uk/yh

The Anglian Kingdom of Northumbria -

Bernicia / Deira: 582 - 730AD: Dayschool

Tutor: David Clark C3655364

Starts: Sat 25 Feb 2012, 10:00am – 4:00pm

Booking Essential

Venue: Pickering Memorial Hall, Potter Hill, Pickering YO18 8AA

Fees: £20.00 Registration fee:

Gentle Yoga 1 (Summer Term)

Tutor: Shirley Gilroy C3655351

Starts: Thurs 19 April 2012, 9:30am for 13 sessions

Venue: Pickering Memorial Hall, Potter Hill, Pickering YO18 8AA

Fees: £65.00 Registration fee: £3.00

Yoga provides gentle exercise, relaxation, stress management and breathing techniques.

The holistic approach has many health benefits.

Use Pre-enrolment form - booking essential.

Gentle Yoga 2 (Summer Term)

Tutor: Shirley Gilroy C3655353

Starts: Thurs 19 April 2012, 11:30am for 13 sessions

Venue: Pickering Memorial Hall, Potter Hill, Pickering YO18 8AA

Fees: £65.00 Registration fee: £3.00

Yoga provides gentle exercise, relaxation, stress management and breathing techniques.

The holistic approach has many health benefits.

Use Pre-enrolment form - booking essential.

Gentle Yoga 3 (Summer Term)

Tutor: Shirley Gilroy C3655354

Starts: Thurs 19 April 2012, 2:00pm for 13 sessions

Venue: Pickering Memorial Hall, Potter Hill, , Pickering North Yorkshire, YO18 8AA

Fees: £65.00 Registration fee: £3.00

Yoga provides gentle exercise, relaxation, stress management and breathing techniques.

The holistic approach has many health benefits. Use Pre-enrolment form - booking essential.

Francis Nicholson of Pickering: Water

Colour Artist 1753 to 1844: Dayschool

Tutor: Gordon Bell C3655365

Starts: Sat 28 April 2012, 10:00am - 4:00pm

Booking Essential

Venue: Pickering Memorial Hall, Potter Hill, Pickering YO18 8AA

Fees: £20.00

Includes visit to exhibition at Ryedale Folk Museum, Hutton le Hole (Entry £4)

Pocklington

Enquiries: Nicole Headley **Tel:** 01482 610833 **Email:** nheadley@wea.org.uk

The Old Courthouse, 37 George Street, Pocklington YO42 2DH

Relaxation Techniques

Tutor: Janet Illidge

Starts: Tues 20 Sept 2011, 1:00pm for 10 sessions

Fee: Free course

You will learn a number of relaxation techniques in a friendly and supportive environment. You can use these techniques at home to help you cope with everyday stresses. Enquiries: Hull and East Yorkshire Mind 01482 240133.

Poppleton Branch

Enquiries: Barbara Ballard, Secretary, 29 Millfield Gardens, Nether Poppleton, York YO26 6NZ

Tel: 01904 786506 **Email:** barbara1425@btinternet.com

(the contact person is a voluntary worker and is not always available)

Dark Satanic Mills - Some Literary

Responses to the Industrial Revolution

Tutor: Jonathan Brown C3655267

Starts: Weds 28 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Venue: The Poppleton Centre, Main Street, Upper Poppleton, York YO26 6JT

We will read poetry and prose by authors including: William Wordsworth, John Ruskin, Henry Mayhew, Oliver Goldsmith, George Crabbe, Ebenezer Elliott, Thomas Carlyle, Charles Dickens and others.

An Introduction to Impressionism

Tutor: Antony Peck C3655836

Starts: Tues 4 Oct 2011, 2.00pm for 8 sessions

Venue: Bowls Pavilion, The Poppleton Centre, Main Street, Upper Poppleton, York YO26 6JT

Fees: £48.00 Registration fee: £3.00

Eight lectures will present paintings by the best known and loved Impressionist artists. Most are French; but an English and a German artist are represented. While concentrating on the art, we won't skimp on the scandal.

For more details go to www.wea.org.uk/yh

Twentieth Century American Short Stories

Tutor: Jonathan Brown C3655268

Starts: Weds 18 Jan 2012, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Venue: The Poppleton Centre, Main Street, Upper Poppleton, York YO26 6JT

We will read and discuss stories by: James Thurber, Shirley Jackson, Susan Glaspell, John Steinbeck, Flannery O'Connor, William Faulkner, Ernest Hemingway, John Updike, John Cheever, Raymond Carver, Katherine Anne Porter and Toni Morrison.

Ripon

Enquiries: Helen Widdowson **Tel:** 01904 671899 **Email:** hwiddowson@wea.org.uk

Helping in Schools NCFE

Tutor: Judith Jennings

Starts: TBC January 2012 for 14 sessions **Venue:** Holy Trinity Junior School, Ripon

Fees: Free course

A course designed for parents and others who volunteer within primary schools and who are interested in learning more about the curriculum, the way schools work and how children learn. Leads to NCFE Level 2 Award Support Work in School.

Scarborough

Enquiries: Diane Quinney **Tel:** 01723 506670 **Email:** dquinney@wea.org.uk

Computing for Improvers

Tutor: Sarah Jaconelli C3655743

Starts: Mon 19 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 5 sessions

Venue: Falsgrave Community Resource Centre, Seamer Road, Scarborough YO12 4DJ

Fees: £30.00 Registration fee: £3.00

The course aims to develop your existing computer skills enabling you to type, edit and print text, use the internet to shop online, search for information online and communicate with others via email -including sending/receiving photographs attached to emails.

Computing for Beginners & Improvers

Tutor: Sarah Jaconelli C3655744

Starts: Mon 19 Sept 2011, 12:45pm for 5 sessions

Venue: Falsgrave Community Resource Centre, Seamer Road, Scarborough YO12 4DJ

Fees: £30.00 Registration fee: £3.00

The course aims to provide you with the computer skills that will enable you to turn on and off a computer, use a mouse and keyboard so that you will be able you to use the computer to access the internet, and different web pages and send an email message. Pre booking is essential.

World Dance for Fun and Fitness

Tutor: Katherine White C3655663

Starts: Weds 21 Sept 2011, 1:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: St. James Community Art Centre, 24 Seamer Road, Scarborough YO12 4DT

An introduction to circle dances from around the world. This course is suitable for adults of all ages and is a great way of keeping fit and meeting new people. Please wear flat, comfortable shoes.

Yoga for All

Tutor: Nicola Bailey C3655657

Starts: Thurs 22 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Venue: St. James Community Art Centre, 24 Seamer Road, Scarborough YO12 4DT

Fees: £45.00 Registration fee: £3.00

Combining gentle movement with breathing exercises this courses promotes health and well being. Please bring a yoga mat or towel for the floor exercises. Pre booking is essential.

The Life and Works of Sir Edward Elgar

Tutor: John Pettitt C3655731

Starts: Fri 23 Sept 2011, 2:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Westborough Methodist Church, Westborough, Scarborough YO11 1TS

A chronological survey of the life and works of Sir Edward Elgar [1857-1934]. Come and hear the wide range of music - orchestral, vocal, chamber - composed by England's finest composer.

Creative Writing for Good

Mental Health

Tutor: Katherine Evans C3655740

Starts: Mon 26 Sept 2011, 2:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Scarborough Library and Information Centre, Vernon Road, Scarborough YO11 2NN

Fees: Free course

This course aims to encourage students to write creatively and explore the therapeutic aspects of creative writing.

Adult Numeracy

Tutor: Ian Rollinson C3655758

Starts: Tues 27 Sept 2011, 6:30pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Falsgrave Community Resource Centre, Seamer Road, Scarborough YO12 4DJ

Fees: Free course

A chance to brush up your maths skills and gain a nationally recognised qualification. For parents it will give you the knowledge and skills to be able to help your children with their homework. The course is taught in an informal group with support from an experienced tutor.

Art for Relaxation

Tutor: Jean North C3655773

Starts: Weds 28 Sept 2011, 1:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: The Rainbow Centre, Parish House, Castle Road, Scarborough YO11 1TH

Fees: Free course

A therapeutic art course which will help learners express themselves through drawing and painting. You can work at your own level and pace with support from an experienced tutor. Materials are provided but you are welcome to bring your own items of inspiration.

For more details go to www.wea.org.uk/yh

Computing for Improvers

Tutor: Sarah Jaconelli C3655745
Starts: Tues 1 Nov 2011, 10:00am for 5 sessions
Venue: Falsgrave Community Resource Centre, Seamer Road, Scarborough YO12 4DJ
Fees: £30.00 Registration fee: £3.00

The course aims to develop your existing computer skills enabling you to type, edit and print text, use the internet to shop online, search for information online and communicate with others via email -including sending/receiving photographs attached to emails. Pre booking is essential.

Computing for Beginners & Improvers

Tutor: Sarah Jaconelli C3655747
Starts: Tues 1 Nov 2011, 12:45pm for 5 sessions
Venue: Falsgrave Community Resource Centre, Seamer Road, Scarborough YO12 4DJ
Fees: £30.00 Registration fee: £3.00

The course aims to provide you with the computer skills that will enable you to turn on and off a computer, use a mouse and keyboard so that you will be able to use the computer to access the internet, different web pages and send an email message. Pre booking is essential.

Film Music

Tutor: John Pettitt C3655734
Starts: Fri 13 Jan 2012, 2:00pm for 10 sessions
Venue: Westborough Methodist Church, Westborough, Scarborough YO11 1TS

'Film music constitutes a new musical medium that exerts a fascination of its own', said Aaron Copland. Come and find out how true this is.

World Dance For Fun and Fitness

Tutor: Katherine White C3655665
Starts: Weds 18 Jan 2012, 1:00pm for 10 sessions
Venue: St. James Community Art Centre, 24 Seamer Road, Scarborough YO12 4DT

An introduction to circle dances from around the world. This course is suitable for adults of all ages and is a great way of keeping fit and meeting new people. Please wear flat, comfortable shoes.

Yoga for All

Tutor: Nicola Bailey C3655662
Starts: Thurs 19 Jan 2012, 10:00am for 10 sessions
Venue: St. James Community Art Centre, 24 Seamer Road, Scarborough YO12 4DT
Fees: £45.00 Registration fee: £3.00

Combining gentle movement with breathing exercises, this course promotes health and well being. Please bring a yoga mat or towel for the floor exercises. Pre booking is essential

Moving On with Creative Writing

Tutor: Katherine Evans C3655741
Starts: Mon 23 Jan 2012, 2:00pm for 10 sessions
Venue: Scarborough Library and Information Centre, Vernon Road, Scarborough YO11 2NN
Fees: Free course

This course aims to introduce learners to ideas behind therapeutic creative writing and to encourage them to use creative writing for personal insight and reflection.

Adult Literacy

Tutor: Ian Rollinson C3655770
Starts: Weds 1 Feb 2012, 6:30pm for 8 sessions
Venue: Falsgrave Community Resource Centre, Seamer Road, Scarborough YO12 4DJ
Fees: Free course

This course will help you brush up your skills in English and will lead to a nationally recognised qualification in Adult Literacy. Course content includes spelling and punctuation strategies, improving grammar and reading for understanding.

Selby

Enquiries: Julia Thompson **Tel:** 01757 638789 **Email:** jthompson@wea.org.uk

Mosaic Making for Beginners

Tutor: Julie Hand C3655318
Starts: Mon 19 Sept 2011, 1:00pm for 5 sessions
Venue: Brayton Community Centre, Foxhill Lane, Brayton, Selby YO8 9EL
Fees: £30.00 Registration fee: £3.00

A basic modern mosaic course for beginners, using many delicious and different materials to create your own unique design suitable for indoor use. A small fee for materials will be payable.

Creative Card Making

Tutor: Julie Hand C3655320
Starts: Mon 7 Nov 2011, 1:00pm for 5 sessions
Venue: Brayton Community Centre, Foxhill Lane, Brayton, Selby North Yorkshire, YO8 9EL
Fees: £30.00 Registration fee: £3.00

A basic card making course for beginners. Create your own individual, unique and special Christmas cards each week using a variety of materials. A small fee for materials will be payable.

Spanish Improvers

Tutor: Pilar Luengo C3655465
Starts: Thurs 22 Sept 2011, 6:00pm for 5 sessions
Venue: Brayton Community Centre, Foxhill Lane, Brayton, Selby YO8 9EL
Fees: £30.00 Registration fee: £3.00

Continue learning Spanish. This course enables learners to communicate in a Spanish speaking country in everyday situations and to enjoy the Spanish language. Taught in Spanish, the emphasis is on speaking and listening. To book a place please contact Julia Thompson on 01757 638789, jthompson@wea.org.uk

For more details go to www.wea.org.uk/yh

Community Courses in Selby

Enquiries: Julia Thompson **Tel:** 01757 638789 **Email:** jthompson@wea.org.uk

Help Your Child with Numeracy

Tutor: Margaret Anne Bell C3655311

Starts: Tues 13 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 6 sessions

Venue: Longman's Hill Community Primary School, Myrtle Avenue, Brayton, Selby YO8 9BG

Fees: Free Course

Struggling to help your child with their maths homework? Come along to this fun, informal session and learn about the current methods of calculation taught in schools as part of the Primary Numeracy Strategy.

Adult Numeracy

Tutor: Margaret Anne Bell C3655472

Starts: Tues 1 Nov 2011, 10:00am for 7 sessions

Venue: Longman's Hill Community Primary School, Myrtle Avenue, Brayton, Selby YO8 9BG

Fees: Free course

An informal maths course which will help learners prepare for a national qualification. You will be able to brush up your skills in calculation, fractions, decimals, percentages, area, averages and a whole lot more. All done in an informal group with the support of an experienced tutor.

Helping with SEN in Primary Schools

Tutor: Judith Jennings C3655315

Starts: Tues 24 Jan 2012, 9:30am for 10 sessions

Venue: Longman's Hill Community Primary School, Myrtle Avenue, Brayton, Selby YO8 9BG

Fees: Free course but there will be a charge of £31.50 to cover accreditation costs.

This course is aimed at those who have already completed the WEA's 'Helping in Schools' course, or a similar course and focuses upon working with children with special educational needs. Accredited through OCN.

Skipton and Craven

Enquiries: Karen Potter (Area Support Worker) **Tel:** 0113 245 3304 **Email:** yhnortheast@wea.org.uk

New activities are organised throughout the year and therefore not all we offer can be included in this brochure. For up to date information on courses in the Skipton and Craven area please use contacts above or visit www.wea.org.uk/yh

Thirsk Branch

Enquiries: Tony Kaye, Secretary, 55 Front Street, Sowerby, Thirsk YO7 1JQ **Tel:** 01845 522762
(the contact person is a voluntary worker and is not always available)

Heritage and Masterpiece:

Capturing the Age

Tutor: Wendy Sanderson C3655240

Starts: Tues 20 Sept 2011, 2:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Thirsk Methodist Chapel, St. James Green, Thirsk, YO7 1AQ

Fees: £55.00 Registration fee: £5.00

A history of British art from the English Renaissance in C16th to the 18th century, including portraiture, landscape, history painting and satire - capturing the age. Includes the work of Hogarth, Reynolds and Gainsborough.

History of Soviet Russia

Tutor: Patricia Chandler C3655241

Starts: Tues 17 Jan 2012, 2:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Thirsk Methodist Chapel, St. James Green, Thirsk, YO7 1AQ

Fees: £55.00 Registration fee: £5.00

We will read 'Life and Fate' by Vassily Grossman as a basis for examination of Soviet Russian history. Grossman, a Jew, wrote for the Red Army newspaper 1941-5 and witnessed the battle of Stalingrad.

Thirsk Community Courses

Enquiries: Julia Thompson **Tel:** 01757 638789 **Email:** jthompson@wea.org.uk

Adult Numeracy

Tutor: Laurraine Barrington C3655834

Starts: Weds 21 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Venue: Thirsk Community Primary School, Hambleton Place, Thirsk YO7 1SL

Fees: Free course

An informal maths course which will help learners prepare for a national qualification. You will be able to brush up your skills in calculation, fractions, decimals, percentages, area, averages and a whole lot more. All done in an informal group with the support of an experienced tutor.

For more details go to www.wea.org.uk/yh

Other Thirsk Courses

Enquiries: Robbie Noble (area support worker) **Tel:** 0113 2453304 **Email:** yhnortheast@wea.org.uk

Life Drawing and Painting

Tutor: Rosie Skaife C3655837

Starts: Sat 1 Oct 2011, 10:00am - 4:00pm
for 4 sessions

Venue: The Old Courthouse, Rural Arts, 4 Westgate,
Thirsk YO7 1QS

Fees: £60.00 Registration fee: £6.00

For beginners to more experienced. Includes the basics of drawing the figure, shading, line, proportion and the skeleton, and showing mass through the use of a variety of materials and different ways of working.

Drawing and Painting

Tutor: Rosie Skaife C3655838

Starts: Mon 3 Oct 2011, 09:30am for 8 sessions

Venue: The Old Courthouse, Rural Arts, 4 Westgate,
Thirsk YO7 1QS

Fees: £60.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Includes looking at proportion, shading and how to make objects look three dimensional. We shall consider construction, shape and form using a variety of different drawing and painting materials and ways of looking and working.

Washburn Valley Branch

Enquiries: Gill White, Secretary, 3 Manor Farm Mews, Blubberhouses, Otley LS21 2NU

Tel: 01943 880446 **Email:** gill@t-marketing.co.uk

(the contact person is a voluntary worker and is not always available)

The Vitality of the English Country House

Tutor: Anthony Powell C3655560

Starts: Tues 6 Sept 2011, 2:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Washburn Heritage Centre, St Michael & St Lawrence Church, Fewston, Harrogate HG3 1SU

Fees: £60.00 Registration fee: £6.00

This course considers how and why the country houses came about, their effect on the countryside, the owners, the builders, the finance and the local community. We'll also visit some of Yorkshire's many fine examples.

Whitby

Enquiries: Diane Quinney **Tel:** 01723 506670 **Email:** dquinney@wea.org.uk

Batik Art

Tutor: Heather Gatt C3655736

Starts: Thurs 29 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 8 sessions

Venue: Green Lane Centre, Green Lane, Whitby YO22 4EH

A very hands on practical course where learners will produce a range of creative items with combined use of wax and dyes. Course materials provided and support offered from an expert tutor.

Moving On with Batik

Tutor: Heather Gatt C3655738

Starts: Thurs 26 Jan 2012, 10:00am for 8 sessions

Venue: Green Lane Centre, Green Lane, Whitby YO22 4EH

A chance to extend your knowledge and skills in working with batik. New learners are welcome too.

Withernsea

Enquiries: Nicole Headley **Tel:** 01482 610833 **Email:** nheadley@wea.org.uk

Jack Gledhill Centre, Queen Street, Withernsea HU19 2HA

The Tombs of the Valley of the Kings

Tutor: Moira Nolan C3655389

Starts: Mon 12 Sept 2011, 7:00pm for 10 sessions

The New Kingdom was a time of great wealth with the pharaohs having spectacular burials. The site of the Valley of the Kings was chosen to deter thieves, mostly to no avail except for Tutankhamun's tomb.

The Temples of Ancient Egypt

Tutor: Moira Nolan C3655390

Starts: Mon 9 Jan 2012, 7:00pm for 10 sessions

The Egyptians built many lavish temples to appease the many gods they believed in. Many can still be seen today and their ruins give us an idea of their true size and the Ancient Egyptians' architectural skills.

Myths and Legends of Ancient Egypt

Tutor: Moira Nolan C3655416

Starts: Mon 16 April 2012, 7:00pm for 7 sessions

Fees: £42.00 Registration fee: £3.00

The rich panorama of Ancient Egyptian mythology has survived through tomb paintings, temples inscriptions and papyri. Many of the myths and legends show us what the Ancient Egyptians believed in for this life and the afterlife.

For more details go to www.wea.org.uk/yh

York Branch

For all enquiries about classes: Terry Fowler, 10 Fishergate House, York YO10 4AT

Tel: 01904 627791 or Edna Ward *Tel:* 01904 708307

York Branch Secretary: Janet Marsham, 26 Hunters Way, Dringhouses, York YO24

Enrolment

Students can enrol in the following ways:

- at Explore York Library and Learning Centre, Library Square, Museum Street, York YO1 7DS between 10.00 am and 12 noon on Tuesday and Friday mornings, from 5 July until 16 September 2011.
- by postal enrolment (enrolment form on page 35). Postal enrolments to be received by: 16 September 2011 for Autumn courses, 6 January 2012 for courses starting in January 2012.
- Half an hour before the first meeting of each course, subject to availability.

All enrolments will be taken on a first come, first served basis.

PRE-ENROLMENT IS STRONGLY ADVISED.

Fees for 20 meeting courses may be paid in two termly instalments, **although the commitment is to the full course.**

Please pay by cheque if possible. If you find at the first meeting that the course is not suitable for you, any money received will be refunded in full. All fees should be collected by the second class meeting. Voluntary members will be present at the first two meetings of each course.

Attendance Requirements

A minimum of ten students is required for a course: this requirement will be strictly adhered to. If you intend to join a course but are unable to be present at the first class meeting, advance enrolment (with fees) will be accepted.

If attendance falls to eight or below for more than two consecutive weeks the class may have to be closed. Please do your best to attend regularly for the sake of other students. Please note that where accommodation space is limited, or where effective teaching may be impaired, an upper limit may be imposed on the number of enrolments.

Half term: for details of half-term week please contact Area Support Worker on 0113 245 3304.

Friends of York Branch

For an annual fee of £5.00, Friends receive all information about courses, day schools, visits, study tours and a regular newsletter.

Please apply to Margaret Moorhouse, 130 Shipton Road, York YO30 5RR.

See also entries for Haxby and Wigginton and Poppleton for further courses in the York area

Bishopthorpe - St Andrew's Church Hall, Church Lane, Bishopthorpe, York YO23 2QG

China: A History

Tutor: Robert Wright C3655232

Starts: Mon 26 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

A country fast becoming the world's most dynamic economy, China's history is still little understood in the West. This course provides a comprehensive overview of the development of China from prehistory to the 20th century.

A History of Russia

Tutor: Robert Wright C3655233

Starts: Mon 16 Jan 2012, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

From a collection of trading centres created by the Rus to a vast European and Asian empire. Chart the development of Russia, the major personalities, the events of its history, and its art and culture.

Dunnington Sports & Social Club, Common Road, Dunnington, York YO19 5NG

Castles and Great Houses of Modern Britain

Tutor: Warwick Burton C3655282

Starts: Tues 4 Oct 2011, 7:00pm for 20 sessions

Fees: £118.00 Registration fee: £12.00

Why were they built and how were they used? Study the castles and great houses of Britain both architecturally and from the social history angle. Includes field trips to houses rarely open to the public.

City Screen, 13-17 Coney Street, York YO1 9QL

Talking Pictures:

Mediterranean Cinemas

Tutor: Keith Withall C3655273

Starts: Tues 11 Oct 2011, 1:00pm for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

This historic sea is surrounded by a variety of countries and cultures. The course will offer the opportunity to explore and contrast the very different film cultures in a cinematic voyage around the region.

Talking Pictures: Mediterranean Cinemas

Tutor: Keith Withall C3655274

Starts: Tues 17 Jan 2012, 1:00pm for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

This course will continue the exploration of the films from countries surrounding this inland sea. They offer a variety not only of language and culture but also of style and content.

Explore York Library and Learning Centre, Library Square, Museum Street, York YO1 7DS

Poetry of Our Time: Some

Themes of British Poetry, 1946-2011

Tutor: Jonathan Brown C3655276

Starts: Mon 26 Sept 2011, 2:00pm for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

A thematic approach to contemporary poetry, including works by Ted Hughes, Seamus Heaney, Philip Larkin, Elizabeth Jennings, Geoffrey Hill, Wendy Cope, Carol Anne Duffy, Andrew Motion, Hugh MacDiarmid and others. Texts provided.

Gods and Mortals in Classical Latin Literature

Tutor: Penelope Fewster C3655281

Starts: Mon 26 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 20 sessions

Fees: £118.00 Registration fee: £12.00

In this course, we shall be reading selections of Latin poetry and prose dealing with gods in myth and history; particularly Virgil's Aeneid and Ovid's Metamorphoses. Texts supplied. A basic competence in Latin is necessary.

The Last Enemy: English Literature of the Second World War

Tutor: Jonathan Brown C3655275

Starts: Mon 16 Jan 2012, 2:00pm for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

W H Auden, Alun Lewis, Dylan Thomas, Keith Douglas, Henry Reed, Herbert Read, Sidney Keyes, Vernon Scannell, U A Fanthorpe, Martin Bell, Graham Greene, Richard Hillary & others. Texts provided except Richard Hillary's 'The Last Enemy'.

Quaker Meeting House York Friargate, York YO1 9RL

French Painting 1850 - 1900, Impressionism and Also-Rans

Tutor: Fiona Fitzgerald C3655285

Starts: Weds 28 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Impressionism, Post Impressionism and the avant garde. The course is arranged in decades, one artist at the centre of each week's topic. Paris and its changing relationship to art production will be a theme.

From Tsarism to Stalinism: Imperial Russia and the USSR 1914-41

Tutor: David Beeston C3655229

Starts: Fri 30 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

In 1914, the Russian Empire was Europe's largest autocracy. By 1941, after wars, revolutions, famine and economic upheaval, the USSR under Stalin remained a repressive and punitive regime. Discover the causes behind this tragic outcome.

Understanding the Palestine/Israel Conflict

Tutor: Stephen Cox C3655284

Starts: Thurs 19 Jan 2012, 7:15pm for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

From the origins of Zionism to the 'Road Map for Peace', this course covers the background of the key events of the conflict, including discussion of some of the core issues underlying the present situation.

The Emergence of a Superpower:

The USA 1914-41.

Tutor: David Beeston C3655230

Starts: Fri 20 Jan 2012, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

In 1914, the USA was a developing nation, underestimated in international affairs. Thirty years later, after total war, diplomatic isolation and economic depression, she emerged a superpower, crucial to the very survival of Western civilisation.

Guppy's Enterprise Club, 17 Nunnery Lane, York YO23 1AB

Wagner's Operas

Tutor: Paul Toy C3655269

Starts: Mon 26 Sept 2011, 1:30pm for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

A chance to study all of Richard Wagner's major operas. We will hear selections from all 11 operas, and trace the ideas and the development of this most exciting and controversial of composers.

The Roman World

Tutor: Robert Wright C3655231

Starts: Mon 26 Sept 2011, 7:15pm for 20 sessions

Fees: £118.00 Registration fee: £12.00

Explore Roman civilisation from its origins to the beginnings of the decline of the western empire in the 3rd century. Covering the major events and personalities, and tracing developments in art, architecture, literature and culture.

The Roman World

Tutor: Robert Wright C3655792

Starts: Tues 27 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 20 sessions

Fees: £118.00 Registration fee: £12.00

Explore Roman civilisation from its origins to the beginnings of the decline of the western empire in the 3rd century. Covering the major events and personalities, and tracing developments in art, architecture, literature and culture.

Comedy and the City

Tutor: Gillian Day C3655228

Starts: Tues 27 Sept 2011, 2:00pm for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Whether Greek satire or TV sitcom, the conflicts and con-tricks of city life have always made us laugh. Study how Shakespeare, Middleton and Johnson reflected the bustle of Renaissance London in three popular comedies.

Italian Beginners

Tutor: Sara Frankel C3655219

Starts: Weds 28 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Enjoy learning a beautiful language with a native Italian tutor in a friendly and relaxed atmosphere. This course will introduce you to the basic language in order to communicate with Italian people in everyday, social and travelling contexts.

Connecting Histories: Perspectives from around Britain and Ireland

Tutor: John Plummer C3655223

Starts: Weds 28 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 7 sessions

Fees: £42.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Explore histories, landscapes and character of coastal communities such as Orkney, Clare, West Wales. Celebrate ingenuity, courage, endurance - Neolithic to 21st Century; acknowledge oppression, injustice. Connect this, through discussion, with our own experiences. Richly illustrated.

It's About Time

Tutor: Fred Stevenson C3655221

Starts: Weds 28 Sept 2011, 2:00pm for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Every aspect of modern life is dominated by time. Indeed time and its measurement has been fundamental to society since its origin. In this course we will consider the subject of time from historical, scientific and philosophical perspectives

French Improvers

Tutor: Veronique Weller C3655234

Starts: Weds 28 Sept 2011, 2:00pm for 20 sessions

Fees: £118.00 Registration fee: £12.00

A course for those who have recently done a beginners' course or wish to brush up rusty French. It is taught by a native French speaker with many years of experience teaching French to adults.

Italian (Improvers)

Tutor: Sara Frankel C3655218

Starts: Thurs 29 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Improve your Italian in a friendly and supportive setting with a native Italian tutor. This course is for those who can already handle the basic language and want to learn new vocabulary, expressions and structures.

Creative Photography

Tutor: Michael Smith C3655226

Starts: Thurs 29 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

This practical course uses photography as a means for developing your own creativity. Whilst technique is covered, emphasis is on what we photograph and why. Suitable for beginners & the experienced, film and digital.

Garden History

Tutor: Anthony Powell C3655293

Starts: Thurs 29 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Gain a working knowledge of the history of ornamental gardens and their design; how the gardens of any period reflect the society and architecture of the time, and visit gardens of historical interest.

Italian (Intermediate)

Tutor: Sara Frankel C3655220

Starts: Fri 30 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Gain a stronger confidence practicing your Italian in a friendly atmosphere with a native Italian tutor. Above 'Improvers' level, further develop your speaking, understanding, reading and writing skills using more complex structures and vocabulary.

Four Novels set in India

Tutor: Jan MacKinnon C3655238

Starts: Fri 30 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Read, analyse and discuss four Booker Prize winning novels set in India. Staying On - Paul Scott; The God of Small Things - Arundhati Roy; The Inheritance of Loss - Kiran Desai; The White Tiger - Aravind Adiga.

'Pastime with Good Company':

Secular Vocal Music c.1500-1800

Tutor: Paul Toy C3655270

Starts: Mon 16 Jan 2012, 1:30pm for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Madrigals, rounds, glees, catches, partsongs - whatever they are called they are the social, secular group music of friends. This is music for the house, coffee-house, tavern and club.

For more details go to www.wea.org.uk/yh

Recent Developments in Astronomy

Tutor: Fred Stevenson C3655222

Starts: Weds 18 Jan 2012, 2:00pm for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Study the many exciting discoveries currently being made thanks to a new generation of huge telescopes based around the world and from spacecraft now visiting various planets, asteroids and comets throughout the solar system.

Italian Beginners (Continued)

Tutor: Sara Frankel C3655236

Starts: Weds 18 Jan 2012, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Continuation of the autumn term

Creative Photography (Continued)

Tutor: Michael Smith C3655227

Starts: Thurs 19 Jan 2012, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

A continuation of the autumn course. Newcomers welcome

Italian Improvers (Continued)

Tutor: Sara Frankel C3655235

Starts: Thurs 19 Jan 2012, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Continuation of the autumn term

Yorkshire Dynasties: Part Two

Tutor: Anthony Powell C3655280

Starts: Thurs 19 Jan 2012, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Looking at a further selection of the many Yorkshire country houses and estates which are still owned by the families that built them. A follow-on to part 1, it is also a stand alone module.

Italian Intermediate (Continued)

Tutor: Sara Frankel C3655237

Starts: Fri 20 Jan 2012, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Continuation of the autumn term

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Made in China

Tutor: Jan MacKinnon C3655239

Starts: Fri 20 Jan 2012, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Analyse and discuss novels and short stories set in China. The Good Earth - Pearl Buck ; The Vagrants and A Thousand Years of Good Prayers - Yiyun Li; Balzac and the little Chinese Seamstress - Dai Sijie.

Priory Street Community Centre, Priory Street Centre, 15 Priory Street, York North Yorkshire YO1 6ET

Creative Photography

Tutor: Michael Smith C3655224

Starts: Mon 26 Sept 2011, 7:00pm for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

This practical course uses photography as a means for developing your own creativity. Whilst technique is covered, emphasis is on what we photograph and why. Suitable for beginners and the experienced, film and digital. Pre-enrolment strongly advised.

York Voices Community Choir

Tutor: Hannah Doherty C3655271

Starts: Thurs 29 Sept 2011, 7:30pm for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

York Voices is a community choir, open to all. No auditions and you do not need to read music. Everyone welcome

Creative Photography (Continued)

Tutor: Michael Smith C3655225

Starts: Mon 16 Jan 2012, 7:00pm for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

A continuation of the autumn course. Newcomers welcome

York Voices Community Choir

Tutor: Hannah Doherty C3655272

Starts: Thurs 19 Jan 2012, 7:30pm for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

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Skelton Village Hall, Brecksfield, Skelton, York YO30 1YB

Painting and Drawing

Tutor: Clare Wake C3655216

Starts: Tues 27 Sept 2011, 1:00pm for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Explore the particular characteristics of a range of materials as you learn about drawing, tone, colour and composition. All levels from beginner to expert. Group and individual tuition. Some materials supplied. Pre-enrolment essential.

Painting and Drawing

Tutor: Clare Wake C3655217

Starts: Tues 17 Jan 2012, 1:00pm for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Explore the particular characteristics of a range of materials as you learn about drawing, tone, colour and composition. All levels from beginner to expert. Group and individual tuition. Some materials supplied. Pre-enrolment essential.

St Olave's Church Hall, Marygate Lane, York YO30 7BJ

Painting and Drawing

Tutor: Clare Wake C3655214

Starts: Tues 27 Sept 2011, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Learn about drawing, tone, colour and composition. Concentrating on one aspect at the start of each term will improve your observation skills and confidence before you embark on a painting of your choice. Pre-enrolment essential.

English Domestic Vernacular Architecture

Tutor: Warwick Burton C3655283

Starts: Mon 03 Oct 2011, 7:15pm for 20 sessions

Fees: £118.00 Registration fee: £12.00

The humble dwellings of the peasants, workers and middle classes through the ages from prehistoric to Tudor half timber to the C20th, with an emphasis on social history. Lavishly illustrated and including Field Trips

Heyday of York

Tutor: Warwick Burton C3655277

Starts: Weds 05 Oct 2011, 2:00pm for 20 sessions

Fees: £118.00 Registration fee: £12.00

Newcomer or long term resident, learn more about your city. Covering the Norman Conquest to the High Middle Ages and the Minster. Field trips including places not normally open to the public.

High Mediaeval York

Tutor: Warwick Burton C3655278

Starts: Thurs 6 Oct 2011, 7:15pm for 20 sessions

Fees: £118.00 Registration fee: £12.00

Newcomer or long term resident, learn more about your city. Covering many topics from the High Middle Ages. Field trips including places not normally open to the public.

Painting and Drawing

Tutor: Clare Wake C3655215

Starts: Tues 17 Jan 2012, 10:00am for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Explore the particular characteristics of a range of materials as you learn about drawing, tone, colour and composition. All levels from beginner to expert. Group and individual tuition. Some materials supplied. Pre-enrolment essential.

Clements Hall, Nunthorpe Road, York YO23 1BW

Life Writing

Tutor: Laura Potts C3655286

Starts: Weds 28 Sept 2011, 10:30am for 10 sessions

Fees: £59.00 Registration fee: £6.00

Everyone has stories to tell from their life; these classes will help you explore putting some of yours into writing, by thinking about which story to tell, who it's for, and whose story it is.

Creative Writing

Tutor: Brinley Price C3655651

Starts: Mon 5 Sept 2011, 2:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Our Celebration/York Mind, Highcliffe House, Highcliffe Court, York YO30 6BP

Fees: Free Course

A friendly and supportive course for people with mental health problems. Come along and explore your creativity with the written word, suitable for beginners and those with more experience. Please contact Our Celebration on 01904 643364

Music Making

Tutor: James Hill C3655694

Starts: Mon 12 Sept 2011, 1:30pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Sycamore House, 30 Clarence Street, Mental Health Day Services, York YO31 7EL

Fees: Free course

Come and join a percussion based course designed to help people with mental health problems explore their musical creativity

Painting in the Footsteps of Lowry and Van Gogh

Tutor: Cheryl Colley C3655658

Starts: Weds 14 Sept 2011, 1:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: TEE Venture, The Driveway Bootham Park Hospital, Bootham, York YO30 7BY

Fees: Free course

On this course, for people with mental health issues, you will learn the specific techniques of painting like Lowry & Van Gogh. We will be creating our own two personal masterpieces after practising their styles, using Acrylics.

Helping in Schools NCFE

Tutor: Judith Jennings

Starts: Thurs 15 Sept 2011 9.30am for 14 sessions

Venue: Fulford Secondary School, Fulfordgate, Heslington Lane, Fulford, York, YO10 4FI

Fees: free course

A course designed for parents and others who volunteer within primary schools and who are interested in learning more about the curriculum, the way schools work and how children learn. Leads to NCFE Level 2 Award Support Work in School.

Painting in the Footsteps of Lowry and Van Gogh

Tutor: Cheryl Colley C3655660

Starts: Fri 16 Sept 2011, 1:00pm for 10 sessions

Venue: Carecent, Central Methodist Church, St. Saviourgate, York YO1 8NQ

Fees: Free course

On this course, for people recovering from mental health issues, you will learn the specific techniques of painting like Lowry & Van Gogh. We will be creating our own two personal masterpieces after practising their styles, using Acrylics.

Preparing to Teach in the Lifelong Learning Sector

Tutor: Judith Jennings C3655463

Starts: Sat 8 Oct 2011, 10:00am for 6 sessions

Venue: Priory Street Community Centre 15 Priory Street, York YO1 6ET

Fees: £155.00 plus accreditation fee of £53.20.

This threshold teaching qualification is where you need to start if you wish to progress to full teacher qualification status in adult, further, community and workplace education. Learn about teaching roles and responsibilities, teaching and learning methods and assessment. To apply, please contact Janet Pepper on 0114 2423609 or yhtraining@wea.org.uk

Local History

Tutor: tbc

October 2011

Venue: York Blind & Partially Sighted Society

Fees: TBC

We are hoping to be running a short course for people with visual impairment probably in Local history of York in partnership with York Blind & Partially Sighted Society but all details to be confirmed. Contact organiser for details.

For more details go to www.wea.org.uk/yh

For all WEA Learners: Your Entitlement. If you are studying on a WEA course, you can have:

- an initial assessment of your English or Maths skills
- information about classes in English or Maths
- opportunities to improve your communication or number skills
- extra help with English or Maths to help you make the most of your WEA course
- information about the new National Certificates in English and Maths
- advice about what course would suit you

If you would like to brush up your English or Maths, there are **FREE SKILLS** for **LIFE** courses offered by the WEA and other local providers.

You could gain national qualifications in English or Maths...It's **FREE!**

For more information, contact:

Area Support Worker on

Tel: 0113 245 3304 **Email:** yhnortheast@wea.org.uk

Website: www.wea.org.uk/yh

Skills for Life

Could you be a volunteer for the WEA?

The WEA has a proud tradition of voluntary and democratic practice. At Branch, Regional and National levels, voluntary members are involved in the planning and provision of courses. If you would like to become involved in your local Branch or help set up a new Branch, then please contact us.

If so, then please visit our website or contact:
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Learning Opportunities for Unison Members

UNISON Return to Learn Course

This course is suitable for those with few or no qualifications and provides an effective stepping stone into vocational and professional training with a strong personal development element.

Content: Personal development and progression, Writing skills, Researching skills, Using number skills in a project, Analytical skills, Using your computer

Delivery: 16 study group sessions (arranged in early evenings) and one residential weekend. All study is in student's own time.

Barnsley	The Core, County Way, Barnsley S70 2JW. Starting 6.00pm, Monday 26 September 2011
Rotherham	The Unity Centre Rotherham. Starting 6.00pm, Tuesday 27 September 2011
Doncaster	The Point, Starting 6.00pm, Wednesday 28 September 2011
Huddersfield	Paddock Learning Centre. Starting 6.30pm Wednesday 28 September 2011
Leeds	Swarthmore Learning Centre. Starting 6.30pm, Monday 26 September 2011
York	Priory Street Centre. Starting 6.30pm, Monday 26 September 2011

UNISON Women's Lives Course

This course is exclusively for women who have experienced little, if any, recent education. It has a strong personal development focus with an emphasis on co-operation and mutual support and can provide a stepping stone into vocational and professional training.

Content: Confidence building, Women's experiences at work, in family life and in the community, Images of women, Study skills in reading and comprehension, note taking, writing, analysing and basic research

Delivery: 10 study group sessions (arranged in early evenings) and one residential weekend. All study is in student's own time.

Sheffield	Sheffield Learning Centre. Starting 6.30pm, Wednesday 28 September 2011
Halifax	Halifax Central Library. Starting 6.30pm, Monday September 2011
Huddersfield	Paddock Learning Centre Starting 6.30pm, Monday September 2011
Wakefield	Castleford Community Learning Centre.
& District	Starting 6.30pm, Monday 19 September 2011

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The
Regional AGM in **Sheffield**

Saturday 19 November 2011
1.00 - 4.30 pm

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